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New Post Comic

"King Of The Royal Mounted," a thrilling adventure strip, will appear daily and Sunday in The Post, starting Sunday.

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The Weather

Today—Cloudy with occasional light rain, slightly colder. Tomorrow—Cloudy with occasional rain, gentle to moderate northeast winds. Yesterday—High, 69; low, 36. Details, Page 25.

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Supply Bill Recommends D. C. Welfare Shake-Up

House to Get Measure Today; $1,317,701 Short Of Budget Estimates

Additional News Relating to the District Bill, Pages 4 and 5.

By James D. Secrest
Post Staff Writer

An administrative shake-up in municipal welfare institutions was recommended in the 1941 District supply bill, carrying $48,291,717, reported to the House yesterday.

Other major provisions of the measure, which represented a $1,317,701 cut in the Budget Bureau estimates of the District's needs, are:

Authorization for a $400,000 underpass at Scott Circle.

A rider barring future free admissions of nonresident children in Washington public schools.

An appropriation of $15,000 for continuation of education for handicapped children.

Funds for the purchase of modern snow-removal equipment.

Complete transfer of recreational activities to the board of education.

Continuation of the Federal lump sum at the present figure of $6,000,000.

The legislation was scheduled for passage not later than tomorrow, though it will be called up in the House late today following passage of the labor-security supply bill.

Taking cognizance of criticisms of the Home for the Aged and Infirm and other welfare institutions, the House subcommittee on District appropriations provided for replacement of the Blue Plains superintendent and an expansion of personnel. Funds also were allowed for minor repairs.

New Office Created

A new position of assistant public welfare director was created for the specific purpose of keeping check on welfare institutions in the future, and replacement of the superintendent at the National Training School for Girls was ordered.

An economy-bent committee slashed budget estimates right and left, with the schools suffering the most severe cut, but it found funds for construction of a $400,000 underpass at Scott Circle to match the Thomas Circle subway.

The Scott Circle underpass was justified "as especially urgent owing to the congestion of traffic at this point since the opening of the new underpass at Fourteenth street and Thomas Circle."

$15,000 for Plans

While the bill carries only $15,000 for the preparation of plans, the commissioners are authorized to proceed with construction of the underpass as a Federal highway aid project upon approval of the Public Roads Administration.

Despite the substantial reductions, the committee did not eliminate any of the major capital improvements, except a northeast water line, but spread the appropriations over two years. The construction, it was said, will not be delayed.

By reason of the cuts, the 1941 District budget carries a paper surplus of $284,900, but this is swallowed in a deficit for the current year of $1,085,415. As a consequence the bill leaves the District with a net deficit of $800,515.

"Bookkeeping Deficit"

This shortage, which is a "bookkeeping deficit," will be made up by 1941 fall collections of the income tax unless it is absorbed in the meanwhile by additional revenue from other sources.

The District supply bill, which was handled with unprecedented speed by the House subcommittee on District appropriations under the chairmanship of Representative Caldwell (Democrat), of Florida, contained a few surprises.

The committee's knife fell most heavily on the public schools, whose

See DISTRICT, Page 4, Column 1.

Triplets May Be Stars . . .

Associated Press Photo

You may be seeing Mildred, Elena and Edith Boyd, the diplomatic triplets, in the movies soon. Yesterday the daughters of Ambassador and Sra. George Edward Boyd received at the Panamanian Embassy a letter asking them to return "immediately" to Hollywood for further tryouts. The singing, dancing, guitar-playing three started knocking on movie studio doors last year while on a vacation in California

D.C. Heads Back Tax on Incomes Earned Here

House Committee To Take Up Seal's Proposals on Monday

Chairman Jennings Randolph of the House District Committee will consider Monday the proposal to make the District income levy applicable to all incomes earned in the District.

The suggested amendments were drafted by Corporation Counsel Elwood H. Seal and approved yesterday by the District Commissioners.

Although the Commissioners issued a statement Tuesday that they would not seek a new tax program until the next session of Congress, their action yesterday was believed to be an attempt to "catch" all nonresidents who intend to claim exemption of the District income tax levy under the recent ruling on "domicile" by the United States Court of Appeals.

The court denied the District the right to tax the intangible property of District residents whose domicile is elsewhere, the specific case exempting a Federal lawyer who lives

See TAX, Page 5, Column 2.

Cosmos Club To Sell Historic Houses to U. S.

Votes to Arrange Dolly Madison, Tayloe Sale for $1,000,000

The Cosmos Club last night resolved to offer its two historic buildings, the Dolly Madison house and the Tayloe residence for sale to the United States for $1,000,000.

The action was taken by a vote of 232 to 38 at a membership meeting in the United States Chamber of Commerce Building. Dr. William McClellan, president of the club, was in the chair.

Each 100 Years Old

The Government's willingness to purchase the property at that price has been known since last July, when the Works Project Administration alloted $1,000,000 for the purpose and $50,000 for renovation. The club was officially notified in November.

Reports circulated last summer that, either National Park Service offices or the six assistants to the President authorized by the first reorganization act might be housed there by the Government.

The two buildings, at the corner of Madison place and H street northwest, are each more than 100 years old. The house on the H street corner was built by Richard Cutts, brother-in-law of Dolly Madison, and was a center of Washington social life while President Madison's widow made her home there for 12 years before her death in 1849.

The Tayloe house, adjoining the Dolly Madison house on the south was built in 1828, and was the home of Mark Hanna, Attorney General Preston and Commodore John Wilkes.

Held Army Headquarters

The Madison Building, which is connected to the other by an annex, was the headquarters of the Army of the Potomac during the Civil War. In the auditorium behind the main building the American Legion was launched in the United States February, 1919 with the formation of Washington Post No. 1.

The president and board of management of the club were authorized at last night's meeting to appoint a committee of 11 members to find the club a new home.

Sought a Week, Thomas Cat Gives Up to Police

You don't have to believe this one, but you'll be overruled if you don't.

Last night Sergt. Ambrose Durkin and Pvt. E. K. O'Brien, of the Police Records Bureau, which handles lost and found articles among other things, were at headquarters going about their duties. O'Brien, looking over the want ads in a newspaper, came across the description of a missing tomcat, reddish-yellow of fur, whose name was Teddy. Just then he heard Sergt. Durkin emit an astonished epithet.

Walking into the record room was a reddish-yellow tomcat, obviously weary and talking to himself. O'Brien called Mrs. Annis Graham, of 1504 Irving street northeast, whose ad he had been reading. Mrs. Graham went to headquarters and identified Teddy, who had been missing since March 19.

How to Sublet Your Apartment

Use a Post want-ad. That is how Mrs. C. A. Lea sublet her furnished apartment in the Falkland Apartments. A Post want-ad found a renter for Mrs. Lea in one day. To sublet your apartment, call NA. 4200—the result number!

Free Spirit Passes

Wahoo, Zoo's Individualist, Dies and Keepers Mourn

"He was truly an individualist."

With those words, Wahoo, the baboon that entertained man by entertaining himself at the expense of man, was eulogized last night by Ernest G. Walker, acting superintendent of the National Zoo.

Pal of lawmakers, magnet to Zoo-goers and undisputed as the Zoo's premier clown and showman, Wahoo was found dead yesterday in his outdoor cage opposite the lion house.

Wahoo was never the property of National Zoological Park. About six years ago he was left here on deposit by Ellis Joseph, an animal dealer. After Joseph's death, the ape was sold to Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Pictures and last summer he was shipped to Hollywood.

Hardly had he arrived in the film capital, however, than he was shipped right back. Zoo officials don't know why he was sent out in the figrst place since baboons, unlike chimpanzees don't make good actors.

Arms Plant Burning In Berlin

Factory Reported Making Machine Gun Ammunition Ablaze; Spectators Barred

The War Today

ALLIED-RUSSIAN relations further clouded by British seizure of two Soviet ships in Pacific. Page 18.

FRENCH DESTROYER blast kills seven members of crew as craft is torn in two. Page 18.

Fought Secretly

By Preston Grover,
Associated Press Staff Writer

Berlin (Thursday), March 28. A fiercely blazing fire in a closely guarded military supply plant reddened the skies of the thinly inhabited outskirts of North Berlin early today.

Starting late last night in a wooden warehouse of an industrial plant at Wilhelmsruh, 6 miles from the center of Berlin, the blaze persisted this morning though apparently confined by a great mobilization of fire-fighting apparatus to the one building.

DNB, official German news agency, in reporting the blaze did not mention the name of the plant. Observers, however, said it was the Bergmann Electricity Works, which is understood to have been converted to manufacture of war materials.

Flames Flare at Intervals

In intense red reflection of the blaze against the clouds and the manner in which it flared up fiercely from time to time caused observers to believe powder stores were burning.

Police secrecy intensified this belief.

DNB, without confirming reports that the plant made machine-gun ammunition, said only the fire started in "highly inflammable material."

The rapid rise and fall of the flames caused early reports to be circulated that frequent explosions were occurring, but there were no sounds of loud blasts.

Reporters were refused details by a cordon of tight-lipped military police.

Stringent wartime laws against the reporting of news of any military value likewise hampered efforts to obtain information.

Area Cordoned Off

Reporters driving through blacked-out streets to the fire found the last half mile a mass of fire-fighting equipment.

Police cordoned the area, and army guards halted newspapermen at the walls of the plant with the abrupt explanation: "No information available."

Unofficial information was to the effect that the plant made only small arms ammunition.

There was no evidence of casualties.

It was not learned whether Allied planes were in the vicinity of Berlin but, if they were, the fire, burning brightly in the blackout, would have furnished an excellent beacon for their approach, even without the advantage of tuning in on the Berlin radio station with directional radio apparatus.

House Votes Campaign Fund Limit

$3,000,000 Figure Added to Hatch Bill; Curb on Teachers In Politics Dropped

Relief Request Weighed

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT and his relief advisers yesterday conferred on whether Congress should be asked for more than $1,000,000,000 for the WPA during the coming fiscal year. Page 2.

War Chests Restricted

By the Associated Press

A clause forbidding national political committees to spend more than $3,000,000 each in any campaign was added to the Hatch antipolitics bill yesterday as that Senate-approved measure passed its first House test.

The bill, which would curb political activities of State employes paid in whole or part with Federal funds, was approved by a House judiciary subcommittee after Chairman Walter (Democrat), of Pennsylvania, had succeeded in adding the amendment limiting national campaign expenditures.

Level Has Been Exceeded

If written into law, the amendment would hold expenditures of both the Republican and Democratic national committees below the levels of the 1936 Presidential campaign. In that year the Republican committee disbursed $8,065,524 and the Democrats $5,030,848.

Walter told newsmen that $3,000,000 should be enough to finance all the campaigning necessary to inform the voters. There is no use having a corrupt practices act, he said, if elections are to go "to the highest bidder."

Representative Martin, of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, predicted that the Hatch bill would pass if it reached the House floor. Asked about the Walter amendment, Martin said he had been inclined to accept the bill as it came from the Senate, in order to avoid the delays of a conference to adjust House and Senate differences.

As passed by the Senate, the legislation did not include the $3,000,000 limitation but did contain a provision by Senator Bankhead (Democrat), of Alabama, forbidding any person to make campaign contributions of more than $5,000 in any year. The House subcommittee retained this provision.

Brown Amendment Out

It eliminated, however, two Senate amendments—one by Senator Brown (Democrat), of Michigan, to exempt employes of educational, religious, eleemosynary, philanthropic and cultural institutions from the curb on political activities, and another by Senator Adams (Democrat), of Colorado, to permit affected employes to run for office in party primaries without resigning from their jobs.

Representative Dempsey (Democrat), of New Mexico, a leader of the forces fighting for the legislation, was elated at the subcommittee's rejection of these two amendments. He said the Brown amendment was an invitation to educational employes to get into politics.

Peace! It's Wonderful

Barkley Calls for Democratic 'Love Feast' to Bury Hatchet

Peace! It's wonderful. In a campaign year well nigh indispensable.

Intra-State Democratic Senatorial feuds that have become historic last night were facing dissolution under the harmony supplication of Majority Leader Alben Barkley—himself until recently a political feudist of no mean prowess.

BARKLEY
"Mr. Fix It"

Barkley, whose bitter 1938 renomination struggle with the then Gov. "Happy" Chandler, of Kentucky, helped to bring forth the Hatch "Clean Politics" Act, proposes to be host at a "harmony luncheon" so that some of his strife-entangled colleagues "can get together and call each other friend."

Present would be such notables of the Senate as the following:

Mississippi Senators Pat Harrison, and Theodore (The Man) Bilbo, who boasted that it was his vote that defeated Harrison for the majority leadership won by Barkley.

Senators Schwellenbach and Bone, of Washington, whose antagonism to each other has contributed to depriving Schwellenbach, thus far, of a Federal judgeship.

Majority Whip Minton and Senator Van Nuys, of Indiana, whose fighting on opposite sides of the court reorganization battle was striking.

Senator Wheeler and Senator Murray, of Montana, long politically at odds.

Senator Neely and Senator Holt, of West Virginia, who apparently have agreed on little if anything

See HARMONY, Page 3, Column 1.

Political Front

Landon Winning Leadership Of Kansas G. O. P. Delegates

Trend Is Regarded As Proof He Won't Seek Nomination

By Robert C. Albright

Former Gov. Alf M. Landon, of Kansas, Republican 1936 Presidential nominee, will lead an undivided Kansas delegation to the Philadelphia G. O. P. convention and battle there for liberal Republican principles and platform, it was virtually determined last night.

LANDON

Landon's leadership of the Kansas Republican delegation was assured in a series of district delegate contests over the last several days and the final trimmings will be given the Landon slate at the Wichita State convention April 4.

The former candidate himself appeared certain to head the delegation as a delegate-at-large, a fact that led observers to conclude the Kansan is not seeking the nomination for himself.

But informed persons said that as titular head of the Republican party he is determined to exert a force for progressivism in the convention.

Landon's home recently has been a mecca for representatives of most of the leading Republican candidates

See POLITICS, Page 2, Column 4.

Maine Democratic Delegates Pledged To Third Term If—

By the Associated Press

Bangor, Me., March 27.—Maine Democrats joined the Roosevelt third-term movement today, pledging their ten national convention votes to the President should he seek reelection, with National Chairman James A. Farley their second choice.

FARLEY

The resolution pledging the votes to Roosevelt was carried on a voice vote by the 1,800 delegates to the State convention with comparatively few "nays" registered.

Supporters of Vice President John N. Garner had worked in preconvention activity for an "open-minded," unpledged delegation.

[In San Francisco it was announced that Farley had refused permission for his name to be entered in the primary in California, where efforts to solidify third-term Roosevelt sentiment in a "harmony slate" of delegates have met with reverses.—Editor's note.]

The convention's action followed by a few hours an address by Farley, an avowed candidate for the

See FARLEY, Page 2, Column 3.

SEC to Relax Rules Delaying Utility Issues

Plans Overhauling Holding Company Act Regulations

By Felix Cotten,
Post Staff Writer

Plans for a general overhauling of Securities and Exchange Commission regulations under the 1935 Utility Holding Company Act were disclosed by Chairman Jerome N. Frank in a speech in New York last night.

SEC officials denied there was any connection between the projected revision and recent complaints by spokesmen for the securities markets and members of Congress that the commission was "stifling" the flow of capital into industry.

Frank mentioned, in particular, plans to dispense with hearings before permitting utility companies to issue securities except in cases where hearings were deemed essential to bring out necessary information. This would result in an "immense saving in time and money," Frank declared.

He spoke before the New York City Bar Association.

Overhauling Regulations

SEC officials said the commission had been working for some time on an overhauling of the regulations issued under the Holding Company Act.

This undertaking, they said, is entirely separate from the proposed revision of the "arms' length bargaining" rule relating to underwriting fees on utility security issues. It was in reply to a request by the SEC for suggestions for a definition of arms' length bargaining that the Investment Bankers Association urged a Congressional inquiry into acts administered by the commission.

The Holding Company Act provides that security issues by utility holding companies or their subsidiaries must be approved by the commission. Thus far, hearings have been necessary in each case before the SEC approved a utility issue.

Likewise, utility issues must be registered with the commission under the 1933 Securities Act. The commission, however, officials said, has encouraged submission of reg-

See SEC, Page 2, Column 5.

Wallace Urges FCA Be Kept In His Control

Secretary Opposes Independent Agency Before House Group

Merger of the Farm Credit Administration with the Agriculture Department was defended yesterday by Secretary Wallace as the only means of ending serious conflicts of policy between the two agencies.

Wallace, continuing testimony in support of the Jones farm credit bill before the House Agriculture Committee, asserted that any move to restore the FCA to independent status would be a grave reflection on President Roosevelt's judgment and his own administration of the farm lending agency.

Senator Guy Gillette (Democrat), of Iowa, has introduced a bill to place the FCA under a bipartisan board whose members would serve 10-year terms. A subcommittee of the Senate Banking and Currency Committee, headed by Senator James Byrnes (Democrat), of South Carolina, will open hearings on the measure Monday.

Albert S. Goss last week told the committee his resignation as land

See WALLACE, Page 5, Column 3.

Steel Melon Rallies Market; Industrial Shares Up 1 to 4

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—A vigorous spring rally in the stock market boosted many industrial leaders from $1 to around $4 a share today.

The bullish show, following weeks of aimless drifting, was attributed by brokers to the United States Steel Corporation's unexpected announcement Tuesday of a $1 dividend on the common stock, the first payment since 1937.

Steel common, an outstanding leader throughout the session, closed $3.38 higher at $57.75.

But the broad buying also accounted for good gains in other steels, motors, farm implements, rails and rubbers. Aircrafts moved up sharply just before the close.

Corporate bonds were helped upward by the rise in shares. Commodities were irregular.

A Shrine in Ashes

Pastor Plans a New Church Amid Ruins of St. Peter's

(Pictures, Page 12.)

Plans for restoring historic St. Peter's Church, its roof destroyed and interior badly damaged yesterday in a spectacular five-alarm fire, already were under way last night.

Heartsick and weary though he was, the Right Rev. Msgr. Eugene J. Connelly, pastor of the second oldest Roman Catholic parish in Washington, founded in 1820, said with determination: "We'll be ready for the golden jubilee regardless."

His reference was to the celebration next November of the fiftieth anniversary of the opening of the edifice at Second and C streets southeast, plans for which were interrupted by a roaring roof blaze which injured five firemen, none severely.

The church was adequately insured, the pastor said.

Ironically, it appears that preparations for the jubilee were re

See FIRE, Page 6, Column 1.

House Drops Economy, Ups Budget $67,000,000

Spending Forces Win Increases In CCC and NYA Appropriations

By John B. Oakes.
Post Staff Writer

Spending forces in the House won a major victory yesterday as they voted to increase appropriations for the CCC and the NYA $67,450,000 above budget estimates.

Heretofore an economy stronghold as contrasted with the Senate, the House rode roughshod over its own Appropriations Committee in boosting CCC and NYA funds. However, it sustained the committee in cutting over $1,000,000 from a proposed increase for the Wage and Hour Division of the Labor Department.

The action came in consideration of the Labor-Security Appropriations bill.

The CCC, highly popular with Congress, was tentatively granted $280,000,000 for next year instead of the $230,000,000 recommended in the budget. The larger sum, approved 134 to 109, will permit the CCC to maintain its present total of 1,500 camps.

Immediately after approving the CCC increase, the House was challenged by Representative Woodrum (Democrat), of Virginia, leading economy advocate, to be "intellectually honest" enough to decide "how you are going to pay the bill."

Woodrum Poses Question

"Are you going to have a tax bill or are you going to raise the debt limit and borrow the money?" roared the white-haired Virginian. "You know as well as I know that the Congress has no idea of doing either one of them at this session."

Woodrum, who received an ovation from the Republicans and a few Democrats when he sat down, told the House that "what we have done is a tragic thing in the history of this country."

Representative Scrugham (Democrat), of Nevada, a sponsor of higher CCC funds, retorted that a "far greater tragedy" would be to throw "hundreds of thousands of our boys into the streets through a denial of opportunity for employment."

The NYA increase, tentatively approved by the House, 144 to 133, would raise the budget figure of $85,000,000 to $102,450,000, exactly the sum authorized for the NYA this year.

When the vote on this proposal proved that economy forces were being routed, Representative Tarver (Democrat), of Georgia, chairman of the subcommittee handling the bill, moved to adjourn until today without even waiting for a second vote on the NYA funds which the parliamentary situation made necessary. NYA was thus left suspended in midair as the House agreed to Tarver's motion.

Reversal Held Unlikely

"The overnight recess will give a breathing spell to the members for more mature judgment," Tarver hopefully suggested; but there was little likelihood that either the CCC or NYA increase would be reversed today.

House refusal to vote the full budgetary request of $6,185,000 for the Wage and Hour Division was some indication that it might adopt the same attitude toward the National Labor Relations Board appropriation today.

An effort of Representative Casey (Democrat), of Massachusetts, to restore the Appropriations Committee's $1,035,000 cut in the Wage-Hour budget was turned down, 115 to 148. As the bill now stands, the division will receive $5,105,000, an increase of $1,643,000 over the current year.

"This is a vote for the wage-hour law or against it," Casey declared. He quoted Col. Phillip Fleming, Wage-Hour administrator, as saying that "if the law isn't effectively enforced, it ought to go off the books."

Today's major fight is expected to revolve around the NLRB appropriation, which was cut $337,000 below budget estimates by the committee, to a total of $2,843,000—compared with $3,189,800 this year.

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

OF THEE I SING

NO PRIVACY: The double attraction of food at low prices and celebrities thrown in free draws a large number of Washingtonians and tourists to eat at the Senate dining rooms. One result is that the Senators at their frugal lunches have about as much privacy as a goldfish.

Harlan Miller

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Often women seem to outnumber the men in three of the four Senate dining rooms.

The outer dining room on the ground floor of the Capitol has long ago been taken over by the general public, what with lobsters and planked steaks at 85 cents, and a glimpse of Vandenberg or Taft through the door leading to the inner dining room.

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But even in this inner room the outsiders always outnumber the Senators two or three to one.

This is the room where Senators take their constituents and friends, and later these guests find their way here alone and bring their friends, to watch at the way of a Senator with his milk toast.

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Although Senators lunch any time from 12 until 3 p. m., they sometimes find all tables filled in this room. (Maybe some of them don't want privacy.)

So there is another room near the elevator reserved for Senators only. But even this room has now become a popular rendezvous for lively luncheon parties of the Senatorial ladies, families and staffs, with their friends.

"—one refuge is left"

That leaves one final refuge for the Senators—a fourth room across the hall, which is positively reserved for Senators, and which even their wives cannot penetrate.

This room is divided into two parts, one for Democrats and one for Republicans, so they can discuss secret and earth-shaking matters of policy and strategy.

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Actually, when the Senators really want to be alone, in small groups, they withdraw for lunch to either the private office of Col. Ed Halsey, secretary of the Senate, or to one of the quiet committee rooms, where they can converse to their hearts' content without eavesdroppers.

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Prices are even lower at the House restaurant at the other end of the Capitol, but this is usually so crowded that it isn't easy to get a table between noon and 2 o'clock. The Representatives have a long, narrow, semiprivate room at one side of the main dining room, but it, too, is often crashed by their guests. Even lobbyists here disturb them at their meals.

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In these dining rooms the men on the Hill can get a substantial meal at about half what it would cost at the more expensive restaurants; not so fancy, perhaps, but with a considerable choice of dishes and ample enough so their waistlines are constantly in danger. The restaurants' deficit ranges from $10,000 to $30,000 a year.

"—two listeners are rivals"

TWO RIVALS: When the President lets his hair down at Cabinet meetings nowadays he is faced by two avowed candidates for the Presidency—Garner and Farley. So it isn't quite the cozy little family gathering it once was. With respect to his third-term plans he must be at least as guarded as he is with the press.

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STARE FOR STARE: One of the Capital's great ladies, famed for her lorgnette, found herself seated at a big dinner at a table some small distance away from the head table. She unlimbered her lorgnette and began to study the faces of the ladies at the speakers' table. One of them, finding herself scrutinized, picked up a fork and stared back at her through its tines. The great lady realized the humor of the situation and lowered her glass with a smile.

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McNUTT CLIMAX: The lid ought to blow off the McNutt case any day now; maybe this week, maybe next. Latest items dug up by the Treasury investigators include a total of $287 paid the Indianian for expenses by the NEA for speeches made to teachers' conventions since 1936.

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While the eight-month investigation seems protracted, even endless, to the McNutt forces, with the convention only 100 days away, the Treasury often takes three or four years for such probes, and the Treasury's attitude is that nothing personal is intended.

So far, apparently, no important unrevealed sources of income seem to have been turned up.

The betting odds are overwhelming (20 or more to 1) against anything more serious than a settlement or a civil suit involving limited amounts in the Indiana scramble, though the 2 per cent club itself may be in for a tussle.

Dewey Assails Foreign Policy Of Roosevelt

G. O. P. Candidate Tells Missourians New Deal May Not Avoid War

St. Louis, March 27 (AP).—Thomas E. Dewey declared tonight the first need of the country is an administration which can be trusted "to keep this Nation out of war."

The youthful New York County district attorney who seeks the Republican Presidential nomination, charged in a speech that "failure has followed every step" of the New Deal "because underlying all its policies there has been a fundamental lack of integrity"—a cynical disregard for the principles of common honesty."

Promises Broken, He Says

"This lack of integrity is shown in three principal ways—broken promises, contempt for the Constitution and flagrant abuse of power," he said.

"So what faith can we place in any promise by this Administration to keep this Nation out of war?"

Dewey's address was the first in a series on "the moral issues" of the campaign which he will continue in Chicago tomorrow night. It was given before a meeting sponsored by the Missouri State Republican committee and was broadcast over a nation-wide hookup.

"I do not need to tell you that the spoken word and the public pledge of this Administration are worthless," he declared.

"The erosion of character . . . began within six weeks after it took office. It has continued ever since, wearing away the foundations of governmental integrity."

Charges "Bad Faith"

Claiming the New Deal's "record of incompetence and bad faith" had retarded recovery, Dewey asserted:

"The New Deal attempts to elevate its failure into the realm of high economic policy."

He accused the Administration of trying to "excuse reckless spending by claiming it is necessary for relief and recovery.

"But even the alibi is false. It is false, because, after eliminating every relief and recovery item, the cost of the National Government under the New Deal has gone up $225,000,000,000, or 56 per cent."

Sees "Stop Dewey" Move

Earlier, in an interview, Dewey expressed the view that both President Roosevelt and Vice President Garner have joined a "Stop-Dewey" movement.

Questioned regarding Mr. Roosevelt's statement that Dewey should be the Republicans' choice for Vice President, he replied one of his aids had made the proper comment: "Roosevelt has joined the Stop-Dewey movement."

Vice President Garner's name came up in connection with Dewey's remarks on the primary April 2 in Wisconsin, where he and United States Senator Arthur E. Vandenberg, of Michigan, are contesting for the Wisconsin delegation to the party's national convention.

He asserted he had been informed Garner headquarters had sent 500,000 letters to Wisconsin automobile owners urging them to vote for Garner if they were Democrats and for Vandenberg if they were Republicans. This he characterized as additional evidence of a "Stop-Dewey" movement.

In Congress

TODAY

By the United Press

Senate

Continues debate on reciprocal trade pact extension.

Military Affairs Committee considers La Follette resolution to investigate sales of planes to Allies; Appropriations subcommittee considers War Department Civil Functions bill.

House

Considers Labor Department-Social Security supply bill. Labor Committee debates Wagner Act amendments.

YESTERDAY

Senate

Recessed at 5:14 p. m. until 11 a. m. today after debating Trade Act extension.

Foreign Relations Committee approved resolution for investigation of foreign propaganda.

House

Adjourned at 5:08 p. m. until noon today after debating Labor Department-Social Security appropriation bill.

Military Affairs Committee heard Woodring on foreign plane sales; Judiciary subcommittee revised Hatch Clean Politics bill.

Philippine Legislator's Clemency Move Fails

The Justice Department has declined to act on a petition for clemency for Felipe Buencamino, a member of the Philippine Legislature, who was convicted of conspiracy last year along with William P. Buckner, jr., in a Philippine railway bond swindle.

Counsel for Buencamino had asked Federal Judge Samuel Mandelbaum to delay sentencing Buencamino pending action on a pardon application by the president.

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Former Gov. Al Smith of New York warbles "Sweet Adeline" as he lathers the face of Musician Sigmund Spaeth and is accompanied by George P. Rea (left), president of the New York Curb Exchange, and Jay C. Flippen, comedian. It was a stunt prelude to a barbershop quartet contest to be held this summer at the New York Fair

Maine Pledges For Third Term

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nomination, in which he praised the Administration's accomplishments and lauded Mr. Roosevelt as "a great Democratic President."

The latter remark was an interjection in his prepared text.

As he was leaving Bangor by train, Farley said he was "very grateful for the expression of confidence given me by the Democratic delegates. I trust that my conduct will justify the confidence placed in me."

Alaska has chosen six delegates, all Roosevelt-pledged. Thus all 24 delegates so far chosen for the Democratic convention are Rooseveltian, but there is strong Farley sentiment in the group in case the President does not run.

The total number of votes in the convention will be 1,100.

Democrats in New Hampshire, Maine's neighbor State, two weeks ago pledged their eight convention votes by an overwhelming margin to President Roosevelt.

The Roosevelt-pledge resolution of the Maine convention, presented by Ernest L. McLean, of Augusta, long an active party leader, set forth that "our founders in the constitutional convention of 1787 manifested their intention that a President of the United States should be elected for a third term, if the electorate so desired . . ."

Referring to the world crisis caused by wars, it further stated that people of the United States desired peace and "should have during the next four years a President who is able to accept and deal with trying and grave problems, and a leader whose efforts are dedicated to world peace and to keep the youth of America out of war."

"It is the sense of this convention," the resolution continued, that its delegates should vote for Roosevelt "in the event he is a candidate . . ."

And, if he is not again a candidate, it added, "it is the sense of this convention, in recognition of the great service to his country of James A. Farley, his ability, high integrity and eminent qualifications for the Presidency, that the delegates chosen by this convention shall vote . . . in support of the candidacy of James A. Farley."

Farley had departed from the convention hall before the resolution vote was taken.

In his address earlier, he refrained from making reference to his own Presidential hope, or the much-discussed Roosevelt third-term issue.

National Committeeman F. Harold DuBord presented Farley as one in whom "I can truly say the Democrats of Maine recognize all the attributes of a President of the United States."

The Democratic Party, Farley told his cheering partisans, has "revived the Nation's economic life and kept alive the vision of universal peace in a war-torn world."

He charged that the Republican Party had "failed to produce a genuine program and it has signally failed to develop leaders of national stature who have won the people's confidence."

John B. Harrell, Jr., D. C. Lawyer, Dies

John B. Harrell, jr., 46, District lawyer, of 3034 Cleveland avenue northwest, died of a heart attack yesterday while visiting offices at 1010 I street northwest.

Mr. Harrell was the son of John B. Harrell, president of the Columbia Building Association and the American Workman Insurance Co.

Kansas Vote Upholds Landon

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for President. He has been noncommittal on his personal-preference for the nomination but has expressed freely his views on program.

He is reliably reported to believe that unless Republicans write a reasonably liberal and forward-looking platform and conduct a campaign which recognizes that the world is changing their high hopes of November victory will be dashed again.

He is known to have his eyes on House Minority Leader Joe Martin, of Massachusetts, as likely timber in the event other leading Republican candidates deadlock at Philadelphia.

Landon Likely Member

The Landon delegate slate to be rounded out at the Kansas State convention next week is expected to include Chairman John Hamilton of the Republican National Committee, refuting forecasts that Hamilton's name would be dropped. Besides Landon, who will head the slate, the State's "Big Four" delegates-at-large are expected to include a Young Republican and a woman Republican. Withdrawal last week of Senator Reed (Republican) of Kansas, as a candidate for delegate-at-large was said to have paved the way for a harmonious State convention with Landon in the saddle.

Other developments as attention converged on Wisconsin's primary balloting next Tuesday on vital Democratic and Republican candidates and issues:

Reports circulated at the Capitol that Senator LaFollette, (Progressive), of Wisconsin, received no definite commitments as to the President's political intentions during his White House call last week. LaFollette continued aloof from the Wisconsin primary scramble, although his Progressive following could be a decisive factor in either the Democratic or Republican primaries there.

In Wausau, Wis., Gerald J. Boileau, former La Follette Progressive House member, urged Wisconsin Progressives and liberal Democrats to unite their strength "behind the group of Roosevelt delegates who are best organized." There are two Roosevelt slates in Wisconsin against one for Vice President Garner. Senator Vandenberg, of Michigan, and New York District Attorney Dewey are matched in the Republican delegate primaries.

Tinkham Assails Dewey

As Dewey bitterly assailed the President in St. Louis, Representative Tinkham (Republican), of Massachusetts, said in a statement that Dewey is "unfitted to be the Republican candidate for President." Tinkham said Dewey has "evidenced his utter lack of sympathy with traditional American foreign policies" and has "publicly indorsed the internationalist policies of President Roosevelt."

Senator Ellison D. (Cotton Ed) Smith, of South Carolina, unreconstructed foe of the New Deal, canvassed conservative Democratic support for a "radio and pamphlet campaign to carry constitutional principles to the man in the street." Smith said his purpose was to show how far centralized New Deal government has shifted from constitutional tenets.

The names of two pro-Garner candidates for delegates were restored to the New York primary ballot by the appellate division of the New York Supreme Court. Put back on the ballot were Alfred E. Smith, jr., son of the former Governor, and State Senator John McNaboe, who had been successfully challenged by Tammany in the lower court.

Gov. Landon's leadership of the Kansas delegation of 18 to the Republican convention apparently was assured by victories in the first four of the State's seven districts.

In the First District, Harry Colmery, opposing the Landon-Ratner ticket, was defeated, and Jay Kyle and Frank Todd, friendly to Landon, were named. Frank (Chief) Haucke, former State American Legion commander, opposed Landon-Ratner control in the Fourth Kansas District. Haucke was defeated, and Fay N. Seaton and Mrs. Grant Watson, Landon delegates, were elected.

Delegates friendly to the former Governor likewise won in the Seventh and Fifth districts, and were apparently certain of victory in the Third, Second and Sixth district conventions leading up to the State convention April 4. Selection then of four delegates-at-large, including Landon and Hamilton, was said to have been simplified by Senator Reed's withdrawal as a candidate. Reed withdrew from the delegate race because of his connection with the Senate Campaign Investigating Committee.

The Landon-led delegation is expected to cast its first ballot at the Republican convention for Senator Capper as "favorite son." The undivided delegation behind Landon will place him in a strong position in conferences leading up to selection of the 1940 standard bearer and in shaping planks for the G. O. P. platform.

SEC to Revise Utility Rules

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istration statements along with requests for approval of issues, and has attempted to approve and register issues within the required 20-day "incubation period" after filing of the registration statement.

The new wplan, which still awaits final commission approval, would permit a utility company to file a declaration covering a security issue. Then, if the declaration were found to fulfill requirements, the security issue would be automatically approved within a fixed period, say 20 or 30 days. This would avoid hearings.

The object of the arrangement would be to facilitate utility financing.

A similar procedure was recently installed with respect to loans by utility holding companies to subsidiaries. It is working satisfactorily, officials explained.

A number of other changes in regulations are said to be under consideration.

Roosevelt's Relief Estimate May Be Raised

Upward revision of President Roosevelt's $1,000,000,000 budget estimate for the Works Projects Administration for the next fiscal year was indicated yesterday after a White House conference on the subject.

Officials who took part in the conference were said to regard as inadequate the figure named in the January budget message.

Stephen T. Early, White House press relations secretary, disclosed, meanwhile, that Mr. Roosevelt had decided not to send to Congress a special message on relief.

He told reporters previously that the President would send a message. The Chief Executive, however, changed his mind at the conference, it was explained. It was agreed that Col. F. C. Harrington, Works Projects Commissioner, would outline the Administration attitude in his appearance before a House appropriations subcommittee early next week.

May Seek Spending Leeway

Those who conferred with the President were: Harrington, John M. Carmody, Federal Works Administrator, and Budget Director Harold D. Smith.

What Harrington will recommend to the House group was a closely guarded secret. Reports, however, were that he probably would ask that Congress appropriate more than the $1,000,000,000 budget estimate for WPA or else permit some kind of leeway in spending the billion dollars so that it would not be necessary to spread it over the entire 12 months.

The latter alternative was known to be under consideration. At the same time, it was said, strong opposition in the House Appropriations committee to such leeway may cause Harrington to name a new figure for the entire 12 months.

Deficiency Appropriation

The President was reported to have told a recent caller that Congress would be asked to lift the present restriction whereby the $1,477,000,000 appropriated for WPA for the current fiscal year must be spread over the entire 12 months.

This would permit a deficiency appropriation later this spring, it was pointed out, making it unnecessary for the WPA to drop 800,000 relief clients from its roll between now and June 30.

Removal of the restriction for the remainder of this fiscal year presumably would be carried over into the next fiscal year. Under this plan, Congress could appropriate $1,000,000,000 for the next fiscal year, and if the WPA found it necessary to spend the sum before the fiscal year was out additional money could be voted in a deficiency appropriation at the 1941 session of Congress.

Administration sources, however, doubted whether any attempt would be made to obtain a deficiency appropriation for the remainder of this fiscal year. Sentiment in Congress first would have to show a definite change, it was said.

The President, in his January budget message, said "relief expenditures should be closely geared to actual needs." He recommended tentatively $1,125,000,000 for relief, of which $1,000,000,000 would go to the WPA and $125,000,000 to the Farm Security Administration.

"If conditions fail to meet our hopes," however, he said, "additional funds may be necessary. I may, therefore, submit revised estimates later in the session."

The mild decline which has occurred in industrial production, and consequently in factory employment, in the last few weeks, is said to have caused Administration officials to feel that WPA needs have altered.

Secretary of Commerce Hopkins estimated yesterday that income paid out totaled $5,554,000,000 in February, or 6 per cent more than $5,247,000,000 estimated in February, 1939.

Early said that, after Harrington has made his appearance before the House Appropriations subcommittee, committee members may call at the White House and discuss the relief problem with the President if they wish.

Under the budget figure, the WPA would employ an average of 1,350,000 persons in the next fiscal year, as compared with 2,000,000 in the present year. To keep within the figure, the agency would have to drop from its roll, it is said, 400,000 to 800,000 persons in the summer months in addition to the 800,000 reduction between now and July 1.

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Judge Indicates He May Bar Job to Russell

Jurist Hints Briton Won't Get Position If Charge Is Sustained

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—A State Supreme Court justice indicated today that he would bar Bertrand Russell from teaching in coeducational City College if a reading of the British earl's published works supported the accusation that he condoned sexual abnormalities.

This allegation was made by Joseph Goldstein, of counsel, to Mrs. Jean Kay, a Brooklyn housewife, in a hearing on her suit for an order requiring the Board of Education to rescind Russell's appointment to an $8,000-a-year chair in philosophy at the college.

"Russell conducted a nudist colony in England," Goldstein told the court. "His children paraded nude. He and his wife have paraded nude in public. This old man who is now about 70 years old has gone in for salacious poetry. Russell winks at homosexuality. I'll go further and say he approves of it.

"Something to Think About"

"Is that in the writings?" asked Justice John E. McGeehan, referring to the four Russell volumes which were before the court.

"Yes," Goldstein added.

"If I find that these books sustain the allegations of the petition," the justice said sharply, "I will give the Appellate Division and the Court of Appeals something to think about."

With this remark, he reserved decision. Some in the courtroom interpreted it to mean that if he found Russell objectionable he would write an opinion in such terms as to make it difficult of reversal by the higher courts, should they desire to reverse it.

Mrs. Kay's attack likewise raised the more limited issue that Russell, as a British subject, was not legally eligible to teach in a New York public school.

Strong Language in Affidavit

Her case rested largely, however, upon his moral views. In an affidavit by Goldstein, he was termed "Lecherous, salacious, libidinous, lustful, venerous, erotomaniac, aphrodisiac, atheistic, irreverent, narrow-minded, bigoted and untruthful."

Nicholas Bucci, assistant corporation counsel, upholding the appointment, confined his motion to dismiss the petition solely to the claim that the only essential question was whether citizenship was a necessary qualification. There was no such qualification, he argued.

Three attorneys supporting Russell were allowed to intervene with briefs. They were Osmond K. Fraenkel, of the American Civil Liberties Union; Elliott L. Biskind, representing the National Lawyers Guild, and Charles Barasch, representing the College Teachers Union of New York.

Barkley Calls For 'Love Feast'

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to date.

The Peace-It's-Wonderful move actually made notable progress yesterday.

Chandler proposed Barkley for the Presidency, and Murray declared he would support his colleague, Wheeler, if President Roosevelt doesn't run again.

Van Nuys said he planned a series of radio addresses in behalf of Minton, who is seeking re-election.

Schwellenbach approved the luncheon idea.

And Bilbo, who has been speaking to Harrison only since they met recently in an elevator and commented pleasantly on the weather, chorused, the Associated Press said:

"Let the brethren join together. Everything is made for love and I love everybody."

With the Democratic harmony move spreading so, there was some speculation on whether it might be extended outside the Senate, perhaps even to: President Roosevelt and Vice President Garner; Postmaster General Farley and Thomas (Tommy the Cork) Corcoran) and many others.

Jardine Quest for 'Miss Spiritual Washington' Produces an 'Angel' and a Nervous Husband

Post Staff Photo

Continuing his search for "Miss Spiritual America," the Rev. R. Anderson Jardine was in Washington yesterday to select local candidates. The English clergyman who married the Duke and Duchess of Windsor is shown at the Hamilton Hotel, interviewing Helen Vierling (left), and Lorraine Campion; standing (left to right), Ruth Hullings, Ethel Vale and Julia Wood

The man who married the abdicated King of England and Mrs. Wallis Simpson will crown a new type of queen today in a unique ceremony at the Hamilton Hotel.

He is the Rev. R. Anderson Jardine, D. D., who yesterday began his quest for Washington's most "spiritually beautiful" girl.

More than a dozen girls, from 12 to 38 years old, and representing various types of appeal called upon Dr. Jardine yesterday afternoon to find out what this "spiritual appeal" business was all about—and did they have enough of it to qualify.

The interviews will continue today beginning at 2 p. m. in the Blue Room of the Hamilton Hotel and will be climaxed at 4 p. m. when Dr. Jardine, two assistants and members of the press, with their photographers if they like, will award the title "Miss Spiritual Washington" to the applicant who has that difficult-to-define appeal.

Yesterday was a hectic first day quest for Dr. Jardine. One society woman insisted that the vicar, who has been banned from American as well as English pulpits for defying tradition, come to her home to interview her daughter, because she "disliked public interviews." A husband phoned to warn that his wife was on the way to apply for the title and to "please stop her."

And finally an elderly woman appeared who said she was an angel.

The smooth-spoken, benign looking Dr. Jardine interviewed applicants who wore everything including dime store jewelry and cheap pink ribbons and bandanas—but their collective personalities had a certain sweetness. And that's what Dr. Jardine wants.

"You can't describe it," he explained. "It's something akin to beauty of the soul. It's just there—and it's bound to come out."

A few giggling schoolgirls apparently just came for the lark. Frowsy hair and heavily painted lips were absent. These were the nondrinking, churchgoing girls. No glamour girls.

The names of some of the applicants follow: Lorraine Campion, 18, 2005 Fifteenth street northwest; Ethel Vale, 38, 1601 K street northwest; Ruth Hullings, 18, 5110 Thirteenth street northwest; Helen Vierling, 22, Silver Spring, Md.; Betty [illegible], 16, Takoma Park, Md.; Betty Wray, 19, 1704 D street northeast; Dorothea Lamore 24, 525 Hunter avenue, College Park, Md.; Mrs. Helena Abbate, 35, Arlington, Va.; Julia Wood, 22 3120 N street northwest, and Nellie V. Sampson, 24, 532 First street southeast.

Pope Receives Post-Lenten Audience

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Rome, March 27.—The Pope gave his first public audience today since before Lent and characteristically took the opportunity to speak critically of Russia and Germany—a sign of the ever more open antagonism between the Holy See and the Reich.

"Not a few people today have lost peace because their prophets or their rulers have turned away from God and His Christ," he told 4,000 visitors. "Some, followers of an irreligious culture and policy, inclosing themselves in the pride of human reason, have shut the door on the very idea of divinity and the supernatural, driving the Creator away from creation, removing the image of the divine crucified Master from schools and tribunes, eliminating any mention of the Bible from national, social and family institutions, although without being able to erase the profound traces."

Treasury-Postoffice Bill Signed by Roosevelt

President Roosevelt signed into law yesterday a $1,032,801,095 appropriation bill for 1941 requirements of the Treasury and Postoffice Departments. The total was $11,245,417 under his budget estimates.

C. I. O., Firm Argue Antitrust Jurisdiction

Hosiery Company Says in Brief Labor Should Go to Congress

By the Associated Press

The C. I. O. and the Apex Hosiery Co. disputed in Supreme Court briefs yesterday whether Congress or the courts should determine whether labor unions could be subjected to antitrust restrictions.

The hosiery company, which experienced a seven-week sitdown strike at its Philadelphia plant in 1937 and wants $711,932 damages for it, said:

"If, now, labor seeks immunity from the Sherman Act even when it resorts to violence and sabotage to accomplish its purposes, its appeal should be addressed to Congress and not to this court."

Earlier, the C. I. O. had pleaded in its brief that the high court overthrow, as "founded upon error," the judicial doctrine that courts have the power to proscribe union activities which they deem undesirable and in restraint of trade.

While an A. F. L. local was involved in the Apex case, the C. I. O. entered the proceedings because of its desire that court rulings under antitrust litigation not hamper unions. Both of yesterday's briefs were filed in advance of oral arguments to be heard late this week.

The Apex company told the court that the Third Circuit Court, which refused damages, was in error "in holding that the violence and forcible stoppage of manufacturing and interstate shipping operations by the unlawful seizure and occupation of the plant had only an indirect and remote effect on interstate commerce and therefore the Sherman Act was not violated."

"The arguments advanced to escape liability imposed by the Sherman Act," said the company's brief, "all stem from the single fact that the acts complained of were committed by a labor union. The unions contend that unless labor unions are entirely exempted from the provisions of the Sherman Act, the rights of labor will be so circumscribed and impaired as to be illusory. But this contention is answered by the fact that Congress, in the Clayton Act, has granted labor immunity from the operation of the Sherman Act so long as the means which it employes to attain its purposes are lawful and peaceful."

Tags His Wife's Car, Officer Fears Doghouse

Rochester, Minn., March 27 (AP).—Officer Guy Barnes is not only impartial in law enforcement. He's a brave man.

Mrs. Barnes drove the family car downtown to shop. She double parked. Along came Officer Barnes, who recognized the machine. Yes, he tagged it, saying "I don't know if I dare go home now or not."

Daughters Lunch With Dads At Rotary Club Innovation

Post Staff Photo

Peggy Eagan pins a rose on her daddy, Thomas L. Eagan, Rotary Club president, at yesterday's daughters' luncheon in the Willard Hotel

The motif was distinctly feminine at yesterday's luncheon meeting of the Washington Rotary Club when, for the first time, daughters of club members were invited to see just what father does at these weekly gatherings.

In the past, fathers and sons have dined together and on occasions, Rotary wives have been invited—but never before the daughters.

According to President Thomas Eagan, "pressure" was brought to bear on the club and yesterday's "father and daughter" affair was the result. There were 150 daughters, ranging from babies of 2 to "babies" of over 21.

Jimmy Fidler and his "Hollywood Parade" were on hand to provide the entertainment and Art Brown, of Radio Station WOL, led the group singing.

Nomination of new officers was the only business transacted. The nominations were:

President, Bert Nye; vice presidents, Wilfred Putnam, M. X. Wilberding, Leo May, Walter Leaman and A. P. Reeves; board of directors, Richard Lamb, Carter Barron Llewelyn Nicholson, Bruce Allen, Don Bernard, Kirby Smith, Charles Hood, Thomas Beavers, John Shoemaker, Albert Lucas and Howard Leroy.

Highlight of the luncheon was a telegram wishing "Happy Easter" to the younger daughters from Shirley Temple in Hollywood.

Luciano Had Rival Shot, O'Dwyer Says

Manhattan 'Boss' Enraged When Kasoff Muscled in on Dope

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—Charles "Lucky" Luciano, one-time white slave traffic czar whose luck ran out, tonight was named by Brooklyn District Attorney William O'Dwyer as the man who dictated the execution of a competing gangster in the narcotics racket.

O'Dwyer said the slaying was being investigated for its possible connection with the Brooklyn "murder-for-cash" syndicate to which he has already attributed more than 30 killings, sometimes for as small a "contract price" as $1.

The latest killing on the growing list was that of Sam "Muddy" Kasoff, whose bullet-punctured body was found lying behind billboards near Long Beach, Long Island.

O'Dwyer said Luciano, then known as "the boss" in Manhattan's underworld, became enraged when Kasoff attempted to encroach in the trafficking of narcotics, a field Luciano regarded as his.

A sentence of death was passed by Luciano, the prosecutor related, and forthwith Kasoff was kidnaped, kept prisoner for a time, then with his hands in his pockets, shot to death in lower Manhattan, the night of March 14, 1934.

O'Dwyer said he had been informed Kasoff had been ordered to pay $5,000 to Luciano, but made only one tribute payment of $2,000 before four bullets cut him down.

Previously O'Dwyer had declared the syndicate killed on a contract basis for not only Luciano, but for Louis (Lepke) Buchalter and Jacob (Gurrah) Shapiro, racket overlords.

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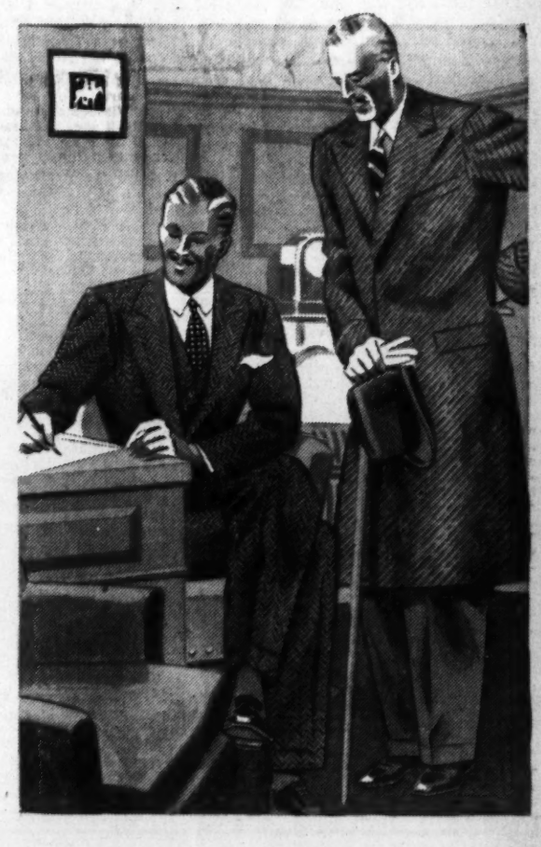

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estimates were cut $496,539 under Budget Bureau recommendations, but $390,000 of this came out of construction projects by the spreading of appropriations over two years.

"The committee has not delayed nor deferred construction of any of the projects proposed in the estimates," the report stated, "it being understood that funds will be provided as required in subsequent acts and that no delay will occur in the ultimate date of completion of these buildings."

Among Funds Slashed

The items involved are the junior high school at Seventeenth and Q streets southeast, a new Abbott Vocational School to be built at Thirteenth and Upshur streets northwest, and plans for a senior high school at Twenty-fourth street and Benning road northeast.

The second most severe slash came out of the appropriation for continuation of the construction of the National Guard armory. The committee cut $200,000 off the budget estimate of $1,300,000 and explained that the reduction "will have no effect on the date of completion."

The Blue Plains Home for the Aged and Infirm was given a new superintendent at a higher salary than has been paid Frank B. Haskell, although Haskell is retained in the welfare department, a full-time resident physician, two nurses, seven hospital attendants and three kitchen and dining room employes.

The home also was allowed an additional $7,350 for repairs, above the $5,000 budget estimate, and each item of improvement was listed separately in the committee report.

"In view of the publicity which has been given conditions at this institution," the report stated, "the committee has paid especial attention to the problem and members of the committee have made visits to it on different occasions.

No Funds for New Home

"The committee is of the opinion that most of the criticism leveled against the institution can be corrected by improvement in the supervision and direction of affairs at the home and by a modest increase in personnel to meet existing deficiencies."

The committee admitted the need for a new children's receiving home, but found no funds for a new one. It suggested that the Commissioners "give consideration to the location of a new home as soon as the financial condition of the District will permit."

Provision was made, however, for the maintenance of two foster homes meanwhile, so that non-delinquent children assigned to the receiving home may be segregated. This change, the committee said, "would correct one of the outstanding causes of complaint, against the institution."

Five Changes Provided

The District supply bill carries no money for additional policemen despite the recent crime wave, but it makes provision for putting into operation the streamlining of the fire department as recommended by the fire survey board.

Public assistance was left unchanged as to the total of $1,678,000 as carried in the budget estimates, but by raising the percentage that may be used for personnel service from 10 to 12 per cent and earmarking an additional $49,960 for use in certification of persons eligible for work relief and surplus commodities the committee actually reduced the amount available for relief.

The health department's appropriation, which was cut $33,600 under budget estimates, was simplified by the consolidation of nine items into four major items: (1) administration, (2) medical services, (3) laboratories and (4) inspections.

Improved Accounting Seen

The new set-up, the committee explained, will provide for a more intelligent expenditure and better control of funds and will result in improved accounting for such funds. The new arrangement of appropriating does not pretend to bring about a reduction in expenditures."

Medical services were reduced $2,990, the tuberculosis sanatorium at Glenn Dale, $3,920.

A budget estimate of $13,000 for the purchase of a site for a Northwest health center was rejected by the committee, but $20,000 was allowed for equipping the Southwest health center. The committee suggested that a site for the Northwest center would be available when the school replacement program was undertaken.

The committee called specific attention to the fees charged at both Gallinger and Glenn Dale and suggested that more revenue might be obtained if more careful investigation of applicants were made. It also pointed out that new tile flooring at the tuberculosis sanatoria was cracking.

Blame Laid to Architects

"The committee has been advised that the Federal specifications for this material were faulty," the report said. "The committee is of the opinion that the architects who approved the use of the material are also responsible."

Gallinger Hospital, which has been fairly successful in recent years in increasing its staff, was rebuffed somewhat. Nine additional nurses and attendants allowed by the Budget Bureau were refused by the committee.

"Increases allowed by the committee," the report explained, "will provide necessary personnel for two new buildings and will also be applied to the program of reducing the working hours of hospital personnel."

Gallinger's appropriation of $675,000 is $75,660 above its current budget but $12,840 under estimates submitted for next year.

Over the adverse report of the Commissioners and the Budget Bureau the committee provided $5,000 for general repairs at Columbia Hospital and recommended that the District heads consider the advisability of taking over the institution as a municipal hospital or for whatever purpose the Commissioners deem advisable.

D. C. Has 50 Per Cent Equity

"The District has about a 50 per cent equity in the buildings," the report stated, "and the committee feels that in view of this situation the local government has some responsibility in the maintenance of these structures."

In accordance with the policy previously adopted by the House Appropriations Committee with regard to all Government employes, the committee eliminated $47,820 or all of the money carried in the estimates for administrative within-grade promotions.

The committee allowed $200,000 for construction of the new main library building in the Municipal Center tract, but it cut $7,500 off the fund for purchase of new books and reduced the printing and binding fund by $2,500. An appropriation of $25,000 is carried for stocking the new southwest branch library.

Highway, Water Cuts

Although both the highway and water funds, which are kept separate from general revenue accounts, were ample to cover budget estimates, the committee carried its economies into both departments.

A reduction of $21,160 was made in the highway appropriations, bringing them $241,765 under the 1940 funds, with the result that a $68,398 surplus will be left in the special tax fund. The appropriation is $4,918,990.

By making the Scott Circle underpass chargeable against the Federal highway aid fund, which comes half from the District and half from the Bureau of Public Roads, the committee avoided raising the highway appropriations.

Survey Eliminated

The committee cut $194,570 from the water department appropriation, which left $2,244,830, and thereby created a surplus of $450,580.

An estimate of $20,000 for a survey to provide an adequate water supply for Washington of the future was eliminated on the ground that the proposed expansion would entail the expenditure of $10,000,000 and not be completed until 1950.

"In view of the fact that this additional water supply will not be required for nearly ten years," the report explained, "the committee believes there is no urgency for action on the survey at this time."

The bill carries $80,000 for a trunk line Anacostian pumping station to the Anacostia second-high service storage tank, but a budget estimate of $250,000 for an additional line from Fourth street and Florida avenue northeast to Kentucky avenue and East Capitol street was disallowed as unnecessary.

A budget estimate of $75,000 for the purchase of a site for an incinerator to the northwest section was refused because District officials had not agreed upon a location.

Appropriations for sewers are $55,350 under budget recommendations, due to the elimination of $50,000 in new construction and $2,750 in mosquito control.

Following is the history of the 1941 District supply bill to date:

	Appropriated, 1940	Recommended by department heads, 1941	Commissioners' recommendations to Budget Bureau	Approved by Budget Bureau	Amount recommended in the bill for 1941	Increase or decrease bill compared with 1940 appropriation	Increase or decrease bill compared with 1941 budget estimates
General expenses	$2,912,965	$3,175,587	$3,006,535	$2,932,315	$2,900,995	—$11,970	—$31,320
Contingent and miscell. expenses	316,139	292,178	283,309	284,809	281,360	—34,779	—4,949
PWA loan, repayment and interest	477,777	665,196	800,000	800,000	800,000	+337,500	.....
Free Public Library	547,590	1,505,322	802,670	792,670	778,540	+230,950	—14,130
Sewers	1,132,800	1,940,617	1,257,020	1,253,910	1,198,560	+65,760	—55,350
Collection and disposal of refuse	1,466,950	2,098,760	1,596,170	1,578,200	1,502,180	+35,230	—76,020
Electrical department	923,440	1,344,360	1,034,456	923,660	919,380	—4,060	—4,280
Public schools	13,369,158	19,105,517	13,150,000	13,259,402	12,778,773	—590,385	—496,539
Metropolitan police	3,906,520	4,181,703	3,933,925	3,306,480	3,301,785	—65,850	—4,695
Policemen and firemen's relief	1,080,000	1,200,000	1,175,000	1,200,000	1,165,000	+85,000	—35,000
Fire department	2,382,990	2,434,450	2,385,888	2,365,005	2,353,095	—29,895	—11,910
Health department	2,508,860	3,601,340	2,636,858	2,574,200	2,540,600	+31,740	—33,600
Courts	357,960	394,190	355,770	355,770	354,842	—3,118	—928
Public welfare	7,350,825	9,772,415	7,368,177	7,430,555	7,473,925	+123,100	—20,630
Militia	398,880	2,114,880	1,252,120	1,349,000	1,148,880	+750,000	—200,120
Reclamation of Anacostia flats	65,000	200,000	65,000	65,000	65,000	.....	.....
Improvement of Washington channel	64,000	64,000	64,000	64,000	64,000	.....	.....
National Capital Parks	947,793	934,642	936,322	927,122	919,842	—27,951	—7,280
National Capital Park and Planning Commission	541,230	348,370	342,350	341,430	341,230	.....	—200
National Zoological Park	237,060	395,010	244,840	241,350	239,910	+2,850	—1,440
Net total, general revenue account after deducting 15% of police salaries	40,469,052	55,212,295	42,158,235	42,126,288	41,127,897	+658,845	—998,391
Highway fund (including 15% of police salaries)	5,160,755	4,923,182	4,869,235	4,940,150	4,918,990	—241,765	—21,160
Water service	2,439,400	2,781,100	2,563,330	2,542,980	2,244,830	—194,570	—298,150
Total	$48,069,207	$62,916,577	$49,590,800	$49,609,418	$48,291,717	+$222,510	—$1,317,701
Trust accounts	$10,375,890	$3,893,509	$3,893,509	$3,873,821	$3,873,821	.....	—$6,501,870

Free Tuition for Outsiders Puts $265,000 Burden on D. C., House Group Reports

A move by members of Congress from Maryland and Virginia to lift the ban on further free admission of nonresident children in Washington public schools is expected when the House begins consideration of the District supply bill.

Previous efforts of District officials to charge tuition for children living in suburban Washington have been blocked by the Congressional delegations from the nearby States.

The House subcommittee on District appropriations pointed out in its report yesterday that between 2,700 and 2,800 nonresident pupils are enrolled in Washington public schools, at a cost to taxpayers of $265,000.

Unfair, Says Report

"The committee believes that it is unfair for this burden to be borne by the taxpayers of the District," the report stated.

The committee pointed out that the prohibition will not affect pupils now enrolled, but will prohibit future enrollment of children for free instruction, "and will gradually correct the situation over a period of years."

Total appropriations for the school, as carried in the bill, are $12,778,775, of $590,385 under 1940 appropriations, and $496,539 below budget estimates.

Building Expense Cut

The major economy was effected by curtailing building expenditures by $390,000 through the spreading of appropriations over two years. This deferment in appropriations, the committee said, will not postpone the completon of the buildings.

The Board of Education achieved a long-sought victory when all of the city's recreational activities and the office of coordinators were transferred to the Community Center, which is supervised by the school board.

A reduction of $8,800 was made in the estimate of $7,338,994 for teachers and librarians, due to the transfer of two vocational teachers from the schools to the Industrial Home School's control.

The committee eliminated $10,480 for additional engineers, janitors and custodal employes, chiefly at the Calvin Coolidge High School, which will not be operated at full attendance during the next fiscal year.

A reduction of $10,043 was made in the estimate for furniture and equipment, leaving a total of $290,000 for the Dennison Vocational School, the Coolidge High School, the Jefferson Junior High School and the Ketcham, Montgomery and Randall additions. An additional $4,500 was given the Banneker Junior High School.

For the salaries of administrative and supervisory officers the bill carries $706,950. The committee denied $6,400 for the employment of two heads of vocational guidance at $3,200 each, and added $6,500, which represents the salary of Lewis R. Barrett, coordinator of recreation, formerly charged to the National Capital Parks Office.

Bar Official Defends Morgan In House Attack on Tax Values

A Capitol Hill attack on Jo V. Morgan, the District's one-man Board of Tax Appeals, ran into a countercharge last night from William E. Hayes, chairman of the taxation committee of the District Bar Association.

Morgan was described in a report of the House subcommittee on District appropriations as being 'without any considerable training and experience in matters of property valuation."

The attack was made public yesterday in connection with release of executive hearings on the 1941 District appropriation bill when Chairman Millard Caldwell and other committee members questioned Morgan and District Tax Assessor Edward A. Dent as to why total assessments are lower than they were eight years ago.

Qualifications Limited

Hays countered that it was not contemplated that Morgan "should possess the qualifications of an assessor or an appraiser any more than a judge or jury who were called upon to perform a similar type of function" in the ordinary lawsuit.

"To leave the valuation questions with the Board of Assessors—one of whom makes the assessments originally—is to deprive the taxpayers of the independent review to which they are now entitled and which can only be had by an independent tribunal, such as the present Board of Tax Appeals," Hayes declared.

At the hearing, Auditor Daniel J. Donovan pointed out that the Federal Government has taken much valuable property off the taxable lists in recent years and expressed the opinion that previous assessments were too high.

Caldwell, apparently still unconvinced, placed in the record a series of tables on assessments and on the local tax rate as compared with other cities. The District tax levy used, however, was that of 1937, when it was only $1.50. The rate now is $1.75.

Asks Commissioners to Act

The committee in its report suggested that the District Commissioners do something about the Board of Tax Appeals," the report said, "the committee wishes to call attention to the fact that this board is composed of a single member without any considerable training and experience in matters of property valuation, who is called upon to review and adjust assessments fixed by the Board of Assessors, which has the experience, background and information to do a better job than anyone else.

"The committee finds difficulty in reconciling a condition of this kind and recommends that consideration be given to improvement of the situation by the appropriate authorities."

U. S. Judge in Maine, 70, Asks to Retire

Portland, Me., March 27 (AP).—Federal Judge Scott Wilson, who reached the retirement age of 70 in January, disclosed today he had advised President Roosevelt of his desire to retire from active court service.

Artillery Activity, Patrol Skirmishes On West Front

Paris, March 27 (AP).—French and German heavy guns blasted away at the opposing lines today along a 40-mile front west of the Vosges Mountains in what the French communique described as "marked artillery activity."

West of the Moselle River the French said they repulsed a German patrol.

(The German high command today said a German shock troop squad had raided French territory south of Pirmasens, taking several prisoners and killing or wounding others.)

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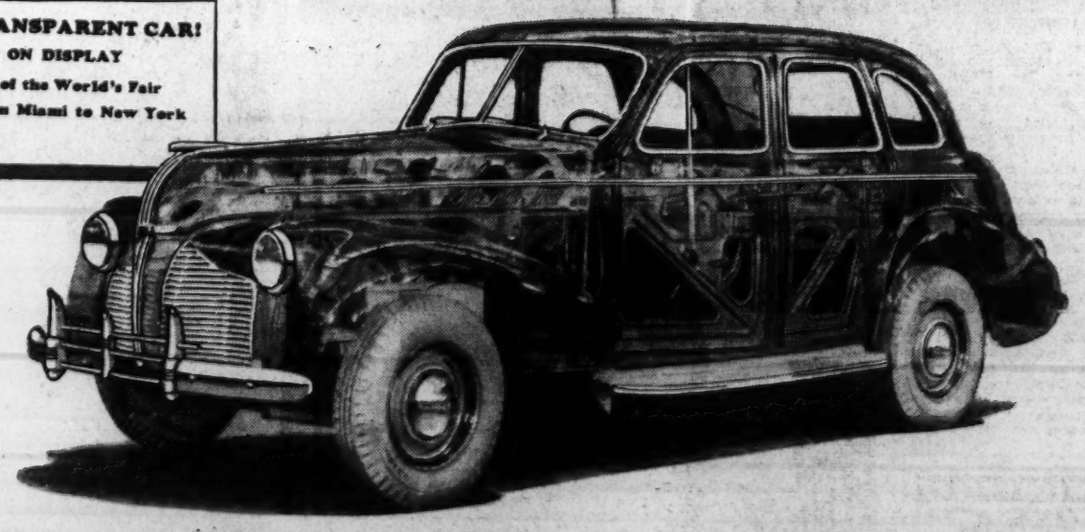

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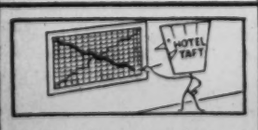

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Blue Plains Chief Lays Ouster by House Group to Tight Purse

$7,473,925 Voted for D. C. Welfare Needs

Girls' Training School Head Faces Removal; New Supervisor Created

"We have been doing the best job we could with very little money."

That was Frank Haskell's comment yesterday on the recommendation by the House subcommittee on District appropriations for his removal as superintendent of the Blue Plains Home for the Aged.

Haskell's replacement was one of two administrative changes effected in the supply bill. The other called for a new superintendent at the National Training School for Girls to take the place of Miss Anne O. Audruss.

While the bill provided for the retention of Haskell within the welfare department, Miss Audruss apparently is to be released. The committee said it found conditions unsatisfactory at the training school.

The committee, recommending welfare appropriations totaling $7,473,925, also urged a principal assistant welfare director be employed to provide an officer who would spend all his time inspecting and administering the local welfare institutions.

Retention of Haskell in the employ of the welfare department at his present salary of $3,600 until December, 1941, when he is eligible to retire, was recommended in the committee's report. The bill provides for a new superintendent at Blue Plains to be employed at a salary of $4,600.

Lowest Budget in District

"We have had less money per person cared for than any of the other institutions," Haskell said. He recalled that he began work at Blue Plains in 1913 and has been superintendent for the past 12 years.

"It's not very pleasant to have this happen so near the end of my service," he remarked. Conditions at Blue Plains have drawn sharp criticism from Mrs. Roosevelt, Congressional investigators and numerous civic groups. Haskell expressed disappointment at the subcommittee's failure to provide for a building program at Blue Plains.

"I have no comment to make," Miss Andruss said last night. She has been superintendent since 1938.

The subcommittee's $7,473,925 welfare appropriation is $123,100 more than current funds, and is $20,630 less than budget estimates. Its recommendations are the result of visits made by its members to each of the welfare institutions and the two municipal hospitals, and of a survey of several of the institutions made, the report pointed out, "by a group of responsible citizens of Washington who were asked to study and report as to the situation at these places."

Board Consulted In Secret

Another study was made by an unnamed trained social worker, the committee said, and the Board of Public Welfare was consulted in secret session, the transcript of which does not appear in the printed hearings.

The committee recommended that a principal assistant director be employed, without regard to civil service, at a salary of $6,500, "for the purpose of providing an officer who will devote his entire time to the inspection and administration of the welfare institutions of the District, which will be under his immediate supervision and for which he will be responsible."

"It is the recommendation of the committee that this officer keep in constant touch with the conditions at the institutions and visit them at regular and frequent intervals," the report continued.

"The committee feels that the fixing of responsibility of one qualified official, who will devote his entire time to this duty will go a long way toward eliminating unsatisfactory conditions which have existed in several of the institutions for some time."

Paul L. Kirby, assistant director of public welfare, will be retained as coordinator of child welfare under the new set-up.

$44,000 Jail Addition

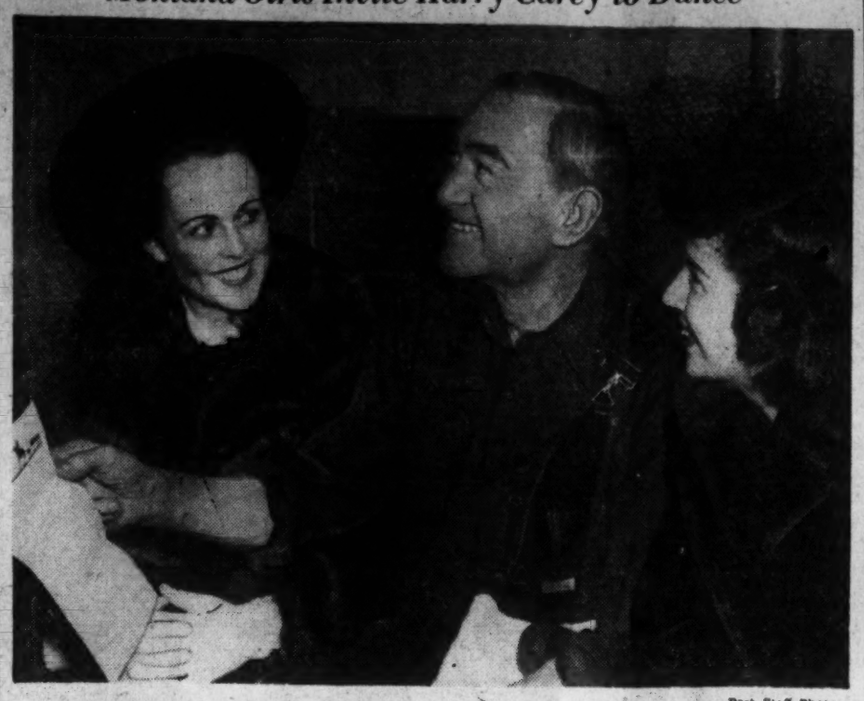
The jail was given $44,000 for completion of an addition, including a death chamber, but $20,000 recommended for providing a walled enclosure for the jail yard was refused. Five additional guards carried in the budget estimate were refused.

The report stated that the committee members who visited the workhouse and reformatory "were most favorably impressed with the efficient administration."

The Commissioners were directed to make a further study of the possibility of installing a Diesel or steam plant to supply all the power used in both institutions.

The operation of the District Training School and the Industrial Home School were approved, but improvements in the educational system of the latter were recommended. Resident vocational teachers were proposed to replace instructors assigned by the public schools.

Montana Girls Invite Harry Carey to Dance



Post Staff Photo

Harry Carey, cowboy star of the silent films, now appearing in "Heavenly Express" at the National Theater, receives an invitation to the Montana State Society's dance from Margaret O'Leary (left), of Butte, Mont., and Rosalie Thompson, of Great Falls, Mont. The dance will be staged Saturday at the Wardman Park Hotel

Tax Backed on All Incomes Made Here

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here but whose omicile is Massachusetts.

This ruling threw some doubt as to the District's right to tax the salaries of persons here who claim domicile in other jurisdictions. The present income tax is levied upon the income of every person "domiciled" in the District on the last day of the taxable year. This act was approved July 26, 1939.

Seal wrote a memorandum to the Commissioners dated February 8, asking for approval by the Commissioners of the manner in which the act was to be applied.

Seal said in his memorandum that the tax would be applied "to all individuals residing in the District and enjoying the benefits of local government except certain classes of persons temporarily residing in the District for definite periods." This memorandum was approved by the Commissioners February 9. After the domicile decision, Seal agreed his memorandum could not be sustained.

Seal Urges Amendments

In a statement to the Commissioners yesterday on his proposed amendments, Seal said:

"Since it is a question of law and fact as to whether a person is or is not domiciled in the District, we conceive it the duty of all District officials to attempt to enforce the procedure laid down in the Corporation Counsel's office on February 8, 1940. Nevertheless, in order to remove any question, the Congress should be requested immediately to amend the present District income tax law so as to make it applicable to the income of non-residents earned within the District."

Seal said he would seek action on the proposed amendments when he appears before the House District Committee on Monday. The amendmends would give the District "first crack" on all salaries earned here and would give non-residents here a credit for taxes paid other States on their incomes derived outside of the District.

Wallace Attacks FCA Measure

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bank commissioner of the FCA was requested after he made known his intention to give public support to the Gillette bill.

Wallace said President Roosevelt's reorganization order of June 30, 1939, transferring the FCA to the Agriculture Department, was issued after "mature consideration."

"To turn around after only a few short months and remove the agency from the department would be an unwarranted reflection on my administration—on the basis of insufficient data," he contended.

Representative Harry B. Coffee (Democrat), of Nebraska, suggested "it may be unhealthy to delegate all this power to the Secretary of Agriculture, who is subjected to all kinds of political influences an independent agency escapes."

Wallace broke in to ask: "Do you mean the Secretary of Agriculture is less likely to be controlled by bankers?"

Bell to Be Witness

Undersecretary of the Treasury Daniel Bell will appear before the committee at 10 a. m. today to discuss provisions of the Jones bill affecting the Treasury. Bell's testimony will probably end formal hearings on the bill before the House committee, according to Chairman Marvin Jones (Democrat), of Texas. He indicated the committee should be ready to act on the measure next week.

Wallace said he is disturbed at charges that the Jones bill sets up a "soft credit" system.

"Let's sharpen up our definition of 'soft credit,'" he continued. "We're against soft credit if it means excessive loans to the farmers. But we don't think lower interest rates should be described as soft credit. I think we're being very hard-headed about this."

Interest Rate An Issue

The Secretary said one of the most vital questions before the committee is whether to set the interest rate on land bank and commissioner loans at 3 or 3½ per cent. A 3 per cent rate, as provided in the bill, would allow a spread of only 1 per cent between the price at which the FCA is expected to buy money and the rate at which it lends. The margin covers costs of operating the farm credit system and furnishes a reserve against losses.

"If there were to be a great farm depression at the end of the present war, we would probably find 1 per cent an inadequate margin," Wallace said.

Representative Richard Kleberg (Democrat), of Texas, asked Wallace whether the responsibility of administering an agency as big as the FCA might not overburden the Department of Agriculture.

"We have to come in contact with any agency that deals with agriculture," Wallace replied. "There is less wear and tear for everyone if the contact occurs within the department. I find a lot of folks whose hearts are bleeding for the Secretary of Agriculture and who go right on increasing his burdens.

"We found that the Farm Credit Administration had one policy and we had another," he continued. "It didn't lighten the burden of the Secretary of Agriculture to have two separate farm policies at work in the country."

Wallace said "normal" lend values on which the FCA made loans were based on parity prices to farmers. He has been reliably informed, he added, that FCA agents have told farmers they were foreclosing certain mortgages "because the Secretary of Agriculture couldn't get parity prices for you."

Kleberg told the Secretary that "suspicions are bound to arise when you place a credit agency under an enforcement agency—suspicions that credit is being used as a weapon to enforce various policies of the department."

Subcommittee Leaves District Relief Estimates Unchanged

Washington is far down the scale in its per capita unemployment relief expenditures, Robert E. Bondy, public welfare director, told the House subcommittee on District appropriations, it was disclosed yesterday.

The House subcommittee, after questioning welfare officials, called upon a special committee from the Board of Trade for advice and then left the relief estimate unchanged from the amount asked in the budget.

Bondy told the subcommittee that 27 larger cities of the country have a per capita expense for general relief of $5.59 as against $1.38 for the National Capital. Baltimore's per capita cost, he said, is more than double that of Washington.

The welfare director admitted in answer to a question of Chairman Caldwell (Democrat), of Florida, that the funds available "are fairly well taking care of" the unemployables, but he said that more than 2,000 employables are in need of relief. He said he did not know accurately how many.

Approximately 70 per cent of persons on relief are colored Mrs. H. W. Martin, assistant superintendent of the Public Assistance Division, testified. Relief payments average $25 a month, most of which goes for rent.

William H. Press, assistant executive secretary of the Board of Trade, told the subcommittee:

"It seems strange to a group of businessmen that here in Washington today, with the highest pay rolls in the history of the city and more people working than ever before in the history of the city, and with what might be called an era of prosperity, the relief load continues on the same basis for two or three years."

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Hans Kindler conducts the National Symphony Orchestra Wednesday night in Constitution Hall, with Percy Grainger as soloist. Program: Toccata (Frescobaldi), Symphony No. 4 in E minor (Brahms), Piano Concertino (Carpenter), "Duke of Marlborough Fanfare" (Grainger), Ballade for piano and orchestra (Faure), Finale from "Das Rheingold" (Wagner).

Last evening's concert by the National Symphony Orchestra was so enjoyable for its excellence, both of compositions and performances as to make one regret that the season is rapidly drawing to a close. The presence of the apparently ageless Percy Grainger as soloist, had something to do with the magnetic tension that heightened the receptive response of the audience, but Hans Kindler and his musicians were at a peak of projective eloquence that had an irresistible appeal and aroused enthusiasm even before Grainger appeared on the scene.

Ray C. Brown

Dr. Kindler opened the program with his fine arrangement of a toccata by Girolamo Frescobaldi who, with due respect to his ecclesiastical position, might be called the first organist with the drawing power of a matinee idol. It is stated on fairly good authority that when he succeeded Ercole Pasquini as organist of St. Peter's in Rome in 1608, his fame in Italy was already so great that 30,000 people crowded to hear his first performance there. His ability as a composer equaled his skill at the console and his organ works are among the best of the pre-Bach period. This toccata, which Dr. Kindler has scored with care for the voicing, is attractive for its union of dignity and brilliance.

This imposing introduction prepared the way for an admirable performance of the E minor symphony of Brahms. Ie had seemed at a recent reading of the C minor that the orchestra had achieved its great proficiency in the exposition of Brahms, but last night's performance want a step farther. Thanks to Dr. Kindler's perceptive insight and comprehensive grasp of the work, and to the faithful collaboration of the players, the music was thoroughly vitalized in every measure. The reading had clarity in phrasing, poesy in expression and vigor of movement. The alleged austerity of the symphony vanished before the compelling force of a genial interpretation.

Percy Grainger chose for his part of the concert compositions which perfectly matched two aspects of his personality. John Alden Carpenter's piano concertino brought out the forthright and breezy colonial strain in his character, while Gabriel Faure's ballade disclosed the poetic vein. Both works were new to the orchestra's repertory and unfamiliar to the majority of the auditors.

Carpenter's concertino is an unmistakable in its American flavor as his "Skyschapers" ballet. The music is indigenous in its rhythmic pecularities, in the tang of the themes and in the irrepressible optimism of its emotional content. There is a brash confidence in the music that expresses a national trait, and yet, in the slow movement, there emerges the sentiment which underlies the vigor of a bold and dauntless life.

Faure's ballads, on the other hand, is a product of an old culture, and its beauty is a flower of artistic tradition. Formality and romaticism are blended in uroportions which delight the artistic sense. Mr. Grainger's tactful treatment of this restrained and sensitive style was as effective as his robust handling of Carpenter's humor.

Between the two numbers for solo piano, Dr. Kindler directed Grainger's short fanfare on the English folksong, "The Duke of Marlborough," in which the composer has used one of his favorite devices—two harmonic phalanxes marching through each other without intermingling. The brass choir played it with bite and accuracy. For the close of the concert came a resplendent performance of the finale from "Das Rheingold."

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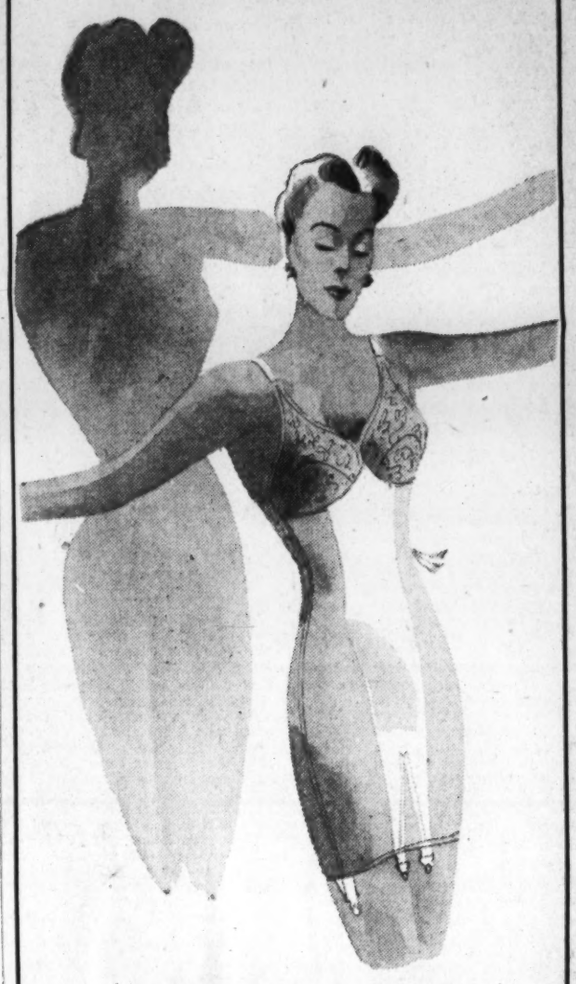

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Pastor Plans New Church Amid Ruins

$50,000 Blaze Sweeps St. Peter's; Thousands Look On

FIRE, from Page 1.

sponsible for the fire, whose origin was attributed tentatively by a fire department official to a blow torch being used by roof painters who were renovating the edifice for the ceremonies scheduled to be held in November.

Discovered a few minutes after 10 a. m., the flames spread rapidly across the 165-foot-long slate roof, supported by Georgia pine beams, so that within a half hour sheets of fire were leaping 75 feet into the air and the vicinity for a half-mile radius—taking in Capitol Hill and Providence Hospital—was enshrouded by black smoke.

At 10:50 o'clock, 37 minutes after the first firebox was pulled by James I. Elliott, an off-duty fireman who lives at 144 C street southeast, the fifth alarm was sounded. When the blaze was declared under control about a half-hour later, 160 firemen, 40 pieces of apparatus and approximately 150 policemen were on the scene.

Roof Collapses

The roof collapsed at 10:47 a. m., with a shower of slate and stone that imperiled firemen.

However, the casualty list was slight. One fireman, Archie L. Craver, 34, of No. 3 Engine Company, was admitted to Providence Hospital suffering from smoke inhalation and minor abrasions. Fireman Paul Knight, 42, of No. 7 Truck Company, was treated at Providence for eye injuries suffered when he was struck in the face by a stream of water.

Three other fire fighters received first-aid treatment for smoke inhalation, but stayed on duty.

Drama and spectacle were plentiful as the flames raced across the roof, whose sentry is a 140-foot spire overlooking Capitol Hill and southeast Washington.

Priests rushed into the church to rescue, first of all, the Blessed Sacrament and then all the vessels, candlesticks, robes and other items of religious worth that could be grasped.

A few families living in dwellings on C street fled with some of their belongings, refugee fashion, though only one residence, as far as could be learned, was ordered evacuated.

From all directions crowds converged to gaze at the solid wall of flame. So thick was the smoke that many spectators were forced back.

A funeral scheduled to be held at 11 a. m. at 136 C street southeast, directly across street from the church, had to be postponed. John Pape, of 244 First street southwest, a mourner at the rites which were to have been held for Clinton Helphenstine, 55, turned in one of the alarms.

Pape Yells Warning

Noticing flames issuing from a small window a few feet below the roof on the north side of the building, Pape yelled a warning to two tinners working aloft and then pulled a firebox.

A few moments earlier Mrs. Lillian Elliott, sitting in the window of her home at 144 C street southeast, had seen smoke curling from the roof and shouted to her husband, James, a District fireman. He turned in an alarm and, though in civilian garb, helped fight the blaze.

Second alarm equipment was summoned at 10:15, third alarm at 10:19, fourth at 10:26 and fifth at 10:50.

Before the first apparatus had arrived the Revs. Francis Sullivan, Charles Nelson and Francis Kearney, assistants to Msgr. Connelly, had dashed into the nave and carried to safety the Blessed Sacrament, which was transferred to the St. Peter's Convent at 133 C street southeast. Other items were placed in the rectory, which adjoins the church at 313 Second street southeast.

Police, Firemen Praised

In a letter sent last night to all Washington newspapers, Msgr. Connelly expressed "grateful" appreciation for himself, priests and parishioners to "all of the firemen who worked on the blaze" for their "most efficient manner."

Msgr. Connelly had equally warm thanks for the Police Department for the "thoroughness with which they performed their duties."

Msgr. Connelly described as "truly admirable" the "solicitude and care" of Acting Chief Costello and members of his command.

Although tons of water were poured onto the roof, flooding the nave to an 8-inch depth, a dozen or so vigil candles burning in front of a statue of the Virgin, near the altar, were not extinguished at anytime.

The painters who were working on the church's south wall, just below the roof, when the fire began were Glenn Shorb, 3554 Tenth street northwest, and Frederick Gray, 4212 Hayes street northeast. They were using a gasoline blow torch to remove paint from window frames.

Acting Fire Marshal Charles G. Achstetter late yesterday cited the blowtorch as the possible cause of the blaze, although the final fixing of blame awaits completion of an investigation.

Achstetter theorized the fire spread through the hollow wooden frame above the stonework and then leaped to the main roof. His tentative estimate of damage was $50,000, including destruction of the roof and stained glasswork and damage to the organ and interior decorations.

The church building is assessed at $150,000. The group of St. Peter's buildings as a whole—church, parochial school, rectory and convent—are valued at nearly $500,000.

A serio-comic aspect of the fire was the plight of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Schoen and their two sons, Jack, 10, and Eugene, 6.

The parents, who were ordered to evacuate their house at 139 C street southeast, went out searching for the boys but were hampered by the fire lines. The boys, in turn, tried to go home but were kept back by police. Eventually the family was reunited.

Fifteen engine companies, six truck companies and two water towers were used against the blaze. Apparatus from outlying sections of the Capital filled in at the fire houses whose equipment was sent to the St. Peter's blaze.

A few moments after the St. Peter's Church fire was brought under control, two families in the 1200 block of First street southeast were driven from their homes when flames threatened a row of frame houses.

The blaze was discovered in the kitchen at 1221 First street, the home of Mrs. Mary Newton, colored. Before fire engines reached the scene, the flames had spread to the roof and into the adjoining house at 1223, occupied by the family of Mrs. Thelma Lanham, also colored.

Because of the 5-alarm call at St. Peter's Church, No. 23 Engine Co., which responded to the First street fire, was forced to come from Twenty-first and G streets northwest.

Furnishings in both houses were badly damaged, but no one was injured.

Loses First Big Chance in Films

Lucille Fairbanks, 23-year-old niece of the late Douglas Fairbanks, sr., was stricken with the flu last week in the midst of her biggest film chance and today Warner Bros. announced they could hold her part open no longer. They will retake the two scenes from "Flight Eight" in which she appeared, along with Virginia Bruce and Jane Wyman, as an airline stewardess

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Fire-Damaged St. Peter's to Hold Services in Nearby Convent

Dismayed but not disheartened, the Right Rev. Eugene J. Connelly last night looked into the future, faced with the problem not only of rearranging plans for celebrating the 120th anniversary of St. Peter's Roman Catholic parish, but of finding accommodations for daily and Sunday services.

Temporarily, morning masses will be held, beginning today, in the St. Peter's Convent at 133 C street southeast, a few doors west of the damaged church.

Throughout yesterday forenoon, even as firemen were battling the flames, and into the afternoon, Catholic churches in all parts of the city telephoned or sent priests in person to offer their accommodations.

Tribute Paid Pastor

Acceptances were deferred, however, pending receipt of instructions and advice from Archbishop Michael J. Curley in Baltimore.

Among the many churches which invited the St. Peter's congregation to use their buildings was St. Mark's Episcopal, located three blocks distant at Third and A streets southeast.

While repairs are being made, the St. Peter's Church basement, as well as the nearby convent and parochial school, may be used for services, Msgr. Connelly said.

Tribute was paid to the elderly priest, who has been head of the parish since 1923, by one of his assistants, the Rev. Charles W. Nelson, who said:

"Taking good care of the church has been his very existence. The fire was a terrible blow to him. No pastor in Washington takes better care of his parish than Msgr. Connelly."

Lots Were Donated

Cardinal Gibbons laid the cornerstone of the handsome Gothic edifice which seated 1,000 persons, on September 15, 1889. Services for Easter, 1890, were held in the basement of the unfinished church and the structure was completed in time for use the following Christmas.

The site at Second and C streets southeast is reputedly the oldest Catholic church site now in use here. St. Patrick's outranks St. Peter's in seniority of establishment, but the former's location at Tenth and G streets northwest has not been in use as long as the other.

It was in 1820 that a group of St. Patrick's members decided to build a church that would be more convenient to south side residents, notably Navy Yard workers. Three lots, fronting C and Second streets, were donated to the young parish by Daniel Carroll, cousin of the Charles Carroll of Carrollton, a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

The Rev. James F. Lucas was the first pastor. The initial mass was said in St. Peter's August 14, 1821, and three months later the church was dedicated to St. Peter by the Rev. John Tessier, of Baltimore.

Celebration Date Set

Since its completion in 1890, the present St. Peter's Church, which occupies the same site as the original structure, has had only two pastors, the Right Rev. Msgr. James M. O'Brien, who served from 1888 until he was relieved by Msgr. Connelly in 1923. The latter formerly was chancellor of the Baltimore Archdiocese.

Preparations were well under way for commemoration of the parish's 120th anniversary and the fiftieth golden jubilee of the completion of the church. The celebration date had been set for November 24.

The painting and roof repairing which were in progress when the fire broke out were a part of the church's improvement program in connection with the anniversaries.

Shortly after Msgr. Connelly became pastor of St. Peter's there was a minor fire but, to quote the Rev. Francis E. Sullivan, one of his assistants, "It was so trivial that a one-armed sexton, aided by a one-legged janitor, put it out before apparatus arrived."

R. B. Truett Named To Supervise Memorial Here

Establishment of a "memorials section" in the National Capital Parks office, with Randle B. Truett as its head, was announced yesterday by Edmund B. Rogers, acting park superintendent.

The shift, which transfers Truett from the superintendency of Lincoln Museum and Lee Mansion to a new unit having jurisdiction over Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial and various other historic structures in this area, is part of the National Capital Parks reorganization scheme.

A. E. Demaray, associate director of the National Park Service, said no more administrative changes will be made until a successor to former Supt. C. Marshall Finnan is chosen.

Landing Today, Welles to See Roosevelt Soon

The White House said today it was advised that Sumner Welles, Undersecretary of State, would arrive in New York between 12 noon and 1 p. m. today from his "fact-finding" European trip.

President Roosevelt, it was added, will receive Welles here at Welles's convenience. Stephen Early, Presidential secretary, said Mr. Roosevelt's departure for Warm Springs, Ga., would not occur until after the Welles' conference. The President hopes to leave for Warm Springs late this week.

Mr. Roosevelt was almost completely recovered today from the affects of a cold which has troubled him more than two weeks.

69-Degree Heat Swells Cherry Buds

Warm weather set the cherry blossom buds swelling again yesterday, and increased hopes that they will bloom April 5, as scheduled.

Acting Superintendent of National Capital Parks Frank Garside, however, refused to predict that the blossoms would obey the law of averages and bloom on schedule.

Yesterday's highest temperature was 69 at 4 p. m., with a low of 36 during the night. Slightly lower temperatures were predicted for today, with occasional rain.

SEC Law Subject Of Symposium

Legal aspects of the Securities and Exchange Commission's work will be discussed tonight at the first meeting of a three-day symposium on constitutional law at the U. S. Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Lawrence Stanley Lesser, supervising attorney of the SEC, will speak on "Constitutional Powers of the SEC Over Public Utility Holding Companies." James F. Davison, of George Washington University, will talk on "Death Sentences for Public Utility Holding Companies."

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On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$6,040,737.94
Total interest and rents	514,565.24
Other income	130,028.93
Total income	$6,685,332.11

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$2,623,396.23
All other disbursements	3,650,442.20
Total disbursements	$6,273,838.43

ASSETS.

Real estate	$353,134.88
Mortgage loans on real estate	843,038.36
Collateral loans	20,786.36
Bonds and stocks	11,905,985.90
Cash in company's office	7,078.97
Deposits in banks	1,191,879.02
Agents' balances	1,001,995.57
Interest and rents due or accrued	51,138.37
All other assets	37,566.54
Gross assets	$15,412,603.97
Deduct assets not admitted	381,734.29
Total admitted assets	$15,030,869.68

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$805,902.52
Total unearned premiums	5,757,113.40
Other liabilities	460,802.76
Capital paid up	3,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	5,007,051.00
Total	$15,030,869.68

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$3,639,123.50	$8,081.32
Ocean marine	426,162.18	.....
Motor vehicles	1,416,277.36	1,800.00
Earthquake	9,114.39	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	165,323.22	10.00
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	134,784.27	406.97
Hail	22,321.04	.....
Sprinkler leakage	13,822.86	.97
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	19,658.41	62.10
All other	194,150.71	613.15
	$6,040,737.94	$10,944.51

H. R. WAITT, President.
R. A. PARKINSON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) P. E. CONSAUL, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY (U. S. BRANCH)
of 110 William St. New York, N. Y.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,351,495.99
Total interest and rents	152,705.66
Other income	40,809.68
Total income	$1,545,011.33

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$617,722.73
All other disbursements	912,659.50
Total disbursements	$1,530,382.23

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$4,139,878.06
Deposits in banks	570,613.09
Agents' balances	187,152.92
Interest and rents due or accrued	23,706.70
All other assets	27,947.74
Gross assets	$4,949,298.51
Deduct assets not admitted	564,971.38
Total admitted assets	$4,384,927.13

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$237,450.00
Total unearned premiums	1,166,272.51
Other liabilities	141,081.53
Statutory deposit	400,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	2,440,123.09
Total	$4,384,927.13

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$799,856.32	$287.35
Ocean marine	175,907.41	.....
Motor vehicles	131,644.78	20.83
Earthquake	4,516.27	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	81,504.33	.....
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	80,480.48	.....
Hail	42,391.17	.....
Sprinkler leakage	2,463.69	.....
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	30,292.76	.....
All other aircraft and auto property damage	2,341.93	.....
Raid	296.87	.....
	$1,351,495.99	$308.18

P. J. BRAIDWOOD, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) HENRY REYNAUD, Notary Public.

Notary Public, Richmond County. Certificate filed in New York County 482, Register——. Commission expires March 30, 1943.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
CAMDEN FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION
of Camden, N. J.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$6,421,219.92
Total interest and rents	589,245.01
Other income	39,515.31
Total income	$7,049,980.24

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$2,731,110.00
All other disbursements	3,787,787.60
Total disbursements	$6,518,897.60

ASSETS.

Real estate	$857,189.22
Mortgage loans on real estate	833,920.67
Bonds and stocks	10,590,655.15
Cash in company's office	17,888.50
Deposits in banks	1,047,104.24
Agents' balances	986,287.99
Interest and rents due or accrued	77,070.78
All other assets	75,837.94
Gross assets	$14,485,954.49
Deduct assets not admitted	1,052,334.80
Total admitted assets	$13,433,619.69

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$723,923.00
Total unearned premiums	5,780,141.05
Other liabilities	808,468.81
Capital paid up	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	4,121,086.83
Total	$13,433,619.69

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$3,156,140.45	$4,437.60
Ocean marine	123,679.45	.....
Motor vehicles	2,418,668.74	17,898.96
Earthquake	3,400.88	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	360,281.87	939.72
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	164,433.64	98.62
Hail	14,859.87	.....
Sprinkler leakage	9,636.32	2.97
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	10,484.98	—38.35
All other	162,617.82	175.82
	$6,421,219.92	$23,515.34

BARRY TRUSCOTT, Vice President.
CHARLES W. MARIN, Assistant Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) JAMES S. BURROUGHS, Notary Public, N. J.

My commission expires November 22, 1944.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE
of London, England

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$2,802,659.16
Total interest and rents	130,713.56
Other income	12,711.06
Total income	$2,946,083.78

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,225,718.13
All other disbursements	1,609,535.70
Total disbursements	$2,835,253.83

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$3,892,075.61
Cash in company's office	489,483.92
Agents' balances	607,796.10
Interest and rents due or accrued	19,551.12
All other assets	128,051.83
Gross assets	$5,136,958.58
Deduct assets not admitted	254,186.02
Total admitted assets	$4,882,772.56

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$422,205.34
Total unearned premiums	2,606,571.41
Other liabilities	243,792.53
Capital paid up	400,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,210,203.28
Total	$4,882,772.56

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$1,603,950.30	$6,330.85
Ocean marine	465,550.46	.....
Motor vehicles	344,244.67	3,983.14
Earthquake	2,539.17	.03
Inland navigation and transportation	204,131.34	.....
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	85,536.17	81.87
Sprinkler leakage	6,240.60	6.68
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Garner Vote May Break Tie On Trade Pact

Senate Poll Shows Close Line-up; Debate On Curb Continues

By the Associated Press

Leaders of both sides anxiously and apprehensively counted votes yesterday as the Senate neared a close decision on the question of submitting trade agreements to the Senate for ratification.

One Republican Senator took a poll, which, he said, showed that the Senate stood 47 for such a requirement to 44 against it, with five votes doubtful. He said this tally jibed with a poll token by a leading opponent of ratification. On the basis of this count, the foes of the trade agreements program claimed a real chance for victory.

The five votes counted as uncertain were those of Senators Bailey (Democrat), of North Carolina; Holt (Democrat), of West Virginia; Pepper (Democrat), of Florida; Schwellenbach (Democrat), of Washington, and Donahey (Democrat), of Ohio. The mathematics of the situation was that the Administration had to pick up four of the five to obtain a tie, or all of them to win outright.

Garner May Hold Key

In the event of a tie, and the possibility of one was hardly discounted, it was thought probable among Vice President Garner's friends that he would swing the decision to the Administration.

Yesterday's debate, which found Senators O'Mahoney (Democrat), of Wyoming, and Vanderberg (Republican), of Michigan, speaking for the ratification restriction and Senator George (Democrat), of Georgia, speaking against it.

The question came up with a resolution extending for three years the authority of the President to name trade agreements changing the tariff rates. Without the legislation, his power to do so would expire on June 12. The Administration is so deeply opposed to a ratification clause that there has been talk that President Roosevelt will veto the bill if the amendment is adopted.

Sees U. S. "Losing Shirt"

Arguing not only for the amendment but against the program in its entirety, Vandenberg said the Nation was about to "lose its shirt" under the trade agreements program. He objected particularly to the pact that a tariff reduction granted to one country applied as well to imports from virtually all other countries.

This system, he said, was "slowly but surely if not deliberately driving the United States to a basis of uncompensated low tariffs which will ultimately wreck us, just as surely as too low tariffs heretofore have always been poison to American wage and living and price standards."

As a substitute, Vandenberg proposed the establishment of a "concentrated foreign trade authority which can cope with all the external trade penalties which American export increasingly confronts."

George Defends Problem

Disputing Vandenberg's argument that the system was unconstitutional, Senator George said it was impossible for Congress to regulate foreign commerce and that it must therefore delegate that task to the Executive.

The program, he said, was a "sensible and necessary use of another branch of the Government to exercise our own exclusive right to regulate foreign commerce."

10 to 15 Miners Shot on Way To Reopen Pit

South Pittsburg, Tenn., March 27 (AP).—The Battle Creek Mining Co., of Orme, Tenn., reported today that between 10 and 15 miners were shot, none seriously, while en route to the mine which reopened in the face of United Mine Workers (C. I. O.) opposition.

George R. Cain, company superintendent, said the men were ambushed and about 150 persons raided two trucks. The men were seized and taken under armed guard to near Orme where they were ordered not to report for work, Cain said.

The sheriff's office at Jasper said it had received reports of labor trouble but had heard nothing of any shooting.

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About the Showshops

Two Hollywoodites Have Minds on Young America

John Garfield and Edward Arnold Speak Their Thoughts on Its Problems and Advantages; Some Very Brief Notes on Local Theatrics

By Richard L. Coe,
Substituting for Nelson B. Bell

TWO REFUGEES from Hollywood—purely temporary—talked yesterday on America and our future. John Garfield, in town for the National's "Heavenly Express," and Edward Arnold, here for discussion of a new idea with national leaders, were the actors with minds on today's problems.

John Garfield has the most passionate and sincere love for the theater of anyone with whom the writer ever has talked.

Because he has everything to lose and a world to gain, Garfield's views may make him suffer much but will win him a great battle. "Where?" he asks, "can a young actor train? Where can a new playwright receive a hearing for his work? Where can an audience which has never seen a play ever meet the inspiring force of the living theater?"

Yesterday he had a brief meeting on the Hill with Senators Pepper and Barkley and a group of their colleagues. What Garfield would like to have is some form of National theater, to replace the WPA's Federal Theater which brought into notice Orson Welles, John Houseman and 5,000,000 new playgoers.

"Why this afternoon's balconies were wonderful theater. Real theater. They shouted and whistled. I'm free from the studio for the run of this play and I'd like to tour until I'm an old, old man just to play to these audiences and the ones which have never seen a play. Not that I don't like Hollywood. I love it. Look what a magnificent job it has done with 'The Grapes of Wrath.' Its been wonderful to me, too."

"But what I want, more than any of the money in the world, is to keep the living theater alive and to do that we have to bring in new audiences, people that can pay only a quarter or so, but who will be hearing the voices of new America, of an art that has fired so many imaginations."

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Eddie Arnold's mission is another matter. Before that telephone call yesterday from Twentieth Century-Fox which called him back 3,000 miles for an hour of retakes on "Johnny Apollo," the Tyrone Power film, he had been on the Hill, too, discussing the "I Am an American Panegyric," a new movement that also has its eyes on young America.

This "I Am an American Panegyric" is a plan whereby there will be a national celebration each year for those who become American citizens during that year.

"We all celebrate birthdays, weddings and other anniversaries, so why shouldn't we celebrate the reception of one of the greatest gifts in the world today?" the husky player asked.

"It would be just like in the days of Greece or Rome or in the days of chivalry. When men became of age, there was a fitting celebration. Our idea is that when men and women become of voting age—and I refer to people other than residents of the District of Columbia—there should be a fitting observation. We plan to set aside one day a year on which all those who reached maturity during that year should publicly salute their duties and privileges as citizens. Why, you've no idea how great a thing it is to be an American citizen!"

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A COUPLE OF QUICK ONES: Rosita Royce, the Dove Dancer, is doing smash business at the Gayety; so smash, in fact, that the ladies of the town are rushing down to find out how she does it. There are, it seems, such things as male sarongs. Warner Brothers have thought them up and the brilliant thing is they turn out to be elegant pajamas. Sam Jack Kaufman has arranged a "Spring Overture" for the new bill at the Capitol. Leo Brady takes over Robert Speaight's role of Thomas a Becket tonight in the Catholic University's superb production of T. S. Eliot's "Murder in the Cathedral."

Film Table

RKO-Keith's—"Pinocchio," at 11:15 a. m., 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:20, 8:05 and 9:50 p. m.

Loew's Capitol—"The Blue Bird," at 10:45 a. m., 1:35, 4:30, 7:20 and 10:05 p. m. Jimmy Fidler's "Hollywood Parade," at 12:35, 3:30, 6:25 and 9:15 p. m.

Earle—"Virginia City," at 10 a. m., 12:50, 3:50, 6:50 and 9:45 p. m. Stage shows at 12:05, 3, 6 and 9 p. m.

Palace—"Northwest Passage," at 10:45 a. m., 1:25, 4:10, 6:55 and 9:40 p. m.

Metropolitan—"A Chump at Oxford," at 11:55 a. m., 1:55, 3:55, 5:55, 7:55 and 9:55 p. m.

Columbia—"Gone With the Wind," at 9:45 a. m., 2:45 and 8 p. m. Sunday matinee, 2 p. m. All seats reserved nights and Sunday performances.

Little—"The Mikado," at 11:10 a. m., 1:15, 3:25, 5:30, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Belasco—"Charlie McCarthy, Detective," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:20, 4, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"Virginia City," at 12:45, 2:55 5:05, 7:15 and 9:30 p. m.

Tivoli—"The Light That Failed," at 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.

Uptown—"Swiss Family Robinson," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Calvert—"Little Old New York," at 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:40 a. m.

These Cockneys Look Bloody Scared!

CHARLES LAUGHTON AND VIVIEN LEIGH
in what seems to be a terrifying scene from their costarring vehicle, "Sidewalks of London," a story of the "buskers" along Shaftsbury avenue, which opens tomorrow morning at the Metropolitan

Hollywood Parade

By Jimmy Fidler

Dear Staff: I've been thinking about Linda Darnell and Deanna Durbin—and the contrasting methods employed in building their careers.

FIDLER

Deanna is already at the top of the ladder, partly because of her remarkable voice, partly because of her constantly increasing ability as an actress, but principally because a producer is smart enough to let her be her age. Deanna is the screen's one feminine exponent of adolescence, the personification of that charming in-between phase in human development that appeals so strongly to every audience. And because she actually is the adolescent she plays, her pictures invariably ring true.

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Linda, on the other hand, is being forced into precocious maturity by every trick her studio can devise. Actually younger than Deanna by a year or more, she's being given adult roles. Unquestionably, she's a fine little actress, and she's naturally endowed with plus quantities of beauty and personality. But she doesn't ring quite true in those grown-up leads.

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It seems to me that the policy makers at Twentieth Century-Fox are passing up a Golconda by overlooking one obvious fact and a near-certainty. The fact—that all the world loves to chuckle at the growing pains of adolescence—has been thoroughly demonstrated by the success of countless books and more than a few pictures. The near-certainty is that Linda Darnell is a natural for such roles. Why not give the "little girl" a chance to win a great big hand?

JIMMIE FIDLER.

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Dear Boss: Your secretary's worried. Yesterday, while bustling about in your office (and very charming she is in a bustle, too), she found your pocketbook. Reasoning that since you've been on the road only five weeks, you haven't yet missed it, she doesn't know whether to mail it to you, or hold it. In either event, don't worry about us prying into your ability to give us that raise. We tried, but, lacking the key, were unable to force the padlock.

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Here's news: Pat Van Cleve (Mrs. Arthur Lake) has signed for the femme lead in Dave Lussier's new stage play, "Come to My House," to be produced in Louisiana . . . Judith Barrett and Lin Howard would have hitched a week sooner, had it not been for her refusal to marry before her blondined hair regained its natural brunette color . . .

THE STAFF.

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, March 27.

Even after the success of the "Rebecca" preview the other night, the town doesn't seem to realize that 1940 is definitely a woman's year. And if we're smart we'll keep up the good work. And I think the women of America are pretty smart. Though they are a little too trusting. "G. W. T. W." and "Rebecca" were both written by women. Both pictures raised two girls to stardom. I was surprised at some of Hollywood's writers saying they were surprised at Joan Fontaine's performance in "Rebecca." Well, if they didn't know Joan had it in her, then they must have slept through her performance with Fred Astaire in "Damsel in Distress" and "The Women." She has quality which is all too rare.

HOPPER

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When she got the part opposite Fred Astaire she was supposed to equal Ginger Rogers' dancing ability in a couple of weeks. That's asking too much of anyone; therefore, they dubbed her a failure. So the master minds at R.-K. O. put her in a lot of lowly B's. I know, 'cause I played in one with her. When she finished her contract over there she got a part in "The Women." And in that picture, which was as synthetic as prohibition bathtub gin, she stood out like the snowcapped mountains above Santa Anita.

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"In "Rebecca" she did one of the most brilliant, tended, haunting bits of acting I've seen in many a long day. If an unknown English actress had one it there would have been no surprise. I may be alone in my opinion but from a performance standpoint, her name should be above Laurence Olivier, who was excellent. But I wish he might always play in costume. The mold of fashionable clothes detracts, rather than adds to his charm.

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Funny, that the day following the preview, Joan's sister Olivia made up with Warner Brother's studio. We'll no longer call Joan Olivia's baby sister—she's grown up.

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At last I've seen a woman who could step into Marie Dressler's parts. Her name is Florence Bates, who played Mrs. Van Hopper. If she missed a point it was while I was blinking my eyes. Golly, what an actress.

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And Judith Anderson made you cringe within yourself. She did the greatest piece of underplaying I've ever seen . . .

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And how nice getting Reginald Denny back again. It took Alfred Hitchcock all the way from London to recognize his talent.

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The night before we saw Deanna Durbin grown into lovely womanhood. "It's A Date" is her best picture. This being her seventh under Joe Pasternak, no wonder he's titled Marlene Dietrich's coming one "Seven Sinners." In Hollywood we call Joe "lucky seven!"

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Now Gracie Allen, in her campaign for the Presidency, backed by most of our Nation's colleges, will have Los Angeles May 9 with two bands, a retinue of aides and she will hold in Omaha her surprise party during the Golden Spike celebration—May 15-18.

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Clare Boothe Hit Returns to Its Birthplace

"Margin for Error", At National Monday; Incoming Theater Bills

"MARGIN FOR ERROR." Clare Boothe's melodramatic comedy hit returns Monday evening to the National Theater where it was first performed prior to its New York engagement. The Chicago company will be playing this story of a Nazi consul's murder in New York next week, but the direction will be under the supervision of Otto L. Preminger, who performed a similar service for the original company and played the consul as well. Doris Dudley, Sheldon Leonard, Morgan Farley, Kurt Katch, Alexander Clark, Don Terry, John McKee, Cyrilla Dorne and Edward Nannary are in the cast. Popular prices will prevail for this return engagement. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

Palace

"THE GRAPES OF WRATH." John Steinbeck's widely-discussed novel comes to the screen under the direction of John Ford and with a large cast headed by Henry Fonda, Jane Darwell John Carradine, Charley Grapewin, Dorris Bowden, Russell Simpson. O. Z. Whitehead, John Qualen, Eddie Quillan, Zeffie Tilbury, Frank Sully and Darryl Hickman A 20th Century-Fox production, the script was adapted by coproducer Nunnally Johnson. Opens tomorrow morning.

Earle

"ROAD TO SINGAPORE." Bing Crosby and Bob Hope add their comic gifts to Dorothy Lamour's patent charms for this musical comedy of women-hating seafarers who travel to the South Seas to be rid of marital troubles. Charles Coburn, Judith Barrett, Anthony Quinn and Jerry Colonna are in the supporting cast. On the stage, "The Big Little Show of 1940" presents Fred Roper's New York World's Fair Lilliputians and the Roxeyettes, a combined company of 40, in a revue that features the "Parade of the Grenadiers," "A Circus Day" and "Old Dutch Garden." Opens tomorrow morning.

Capitol

"THE HOUSE ACROSS THE BAY." George Raft, Joan Bennett, Walter Pidgeon, Gladys George and Lloyd Nolan play this original story of a young girl who must adjust her life to a strange fate while her husband is in prison for income tax evasion. On the stage, the Salici Puppets return to F street in a miniature revue of 10 scenes, while the real life performers will include Al Norman, comedian and songster; Large and Morgner, rhythm and acrobatic dancers and the Capitol Rockets. Opens tomorrow morning.

Metropolitan

"SIDEWALKS OF LONDON." Vivien Leigh and Charles Laughton are costarred in this British-made film of London "buskers," street entertainers who sing, dance and clown for pennies donated by strollers and theatergoers outside the theaters of Shaftsbury avenue. Based on a story by Clemence Dane, the film features Rex Harrison, Tyrone Guthrie, and Larry Adler. Opens tomorrow morning.

Belasco

"CHARLIE McCARTHY, DETECTIVE." The prize dummy of them all breaks into song as a night club entertainer in this first-run film which naturally stars Edgar Bergen. Charlie goes on to prove that he is a first-rank detective in a cast that includes Robert Cummings, Constance Moore, John Sutton, Louis Calhern, Edgar Kennedy, Samuel S. Hinds, Warren Hymer and Mortimer Snerd. Opens this morning.

Columbia

"GONE WITH THE WIND." The film which swept the Academy award field continues for an additional week on F street, bringing its downtown engagement to nine weeks. For information of performances see Film Table.

Little

"THE MIKADO." The first film appearance of the D'Oyly Carte Opera Co. is one of the features of this first screen version of a Gilbert and Sullivan operetta. Filmed in technicolor, the company includes Kenny Baker, Martyn Green, Sydney Granville and Jean Colin. The score that is followed, naturally, is neither the "swing" nor the "hot" versions.

Trans-Lux

"THE WEST WALL." Narrated by Maj. George Fielding Eliot, this film explores the boundary which is so much in the public mind these days. Frederick Feher conducts the National Philharmonic Orchestra in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" Overture, Ted Husing discusses bowling and Disney's "The Pointers" are other short subjects in the bill that is devoted primarily to newsreels. Opens tomorrow morning.

Howard

CAB CALLOWAY. "His hi-de-ho highness of hi-de-ho" brings his latest Cotton Club revue to the stage of the T street theater. The company features the Three Chocolateers, Sister Tharpe and Helena Smith as well as the Calloway orchestra, the octette and the Cab jivers. The sepia revue has just completed a long engagement in New York. The screen attraction features Donald Woods and Lynn Bari in "City of Chance." Opens tomorrow morning.

Wardman Park

THE WASHINGTON Civic Theater is presenting a double bill of two poetic one-act plays. Archibald McLeish's "The Fall of the City," a play originally written for radio, and Stephen Vincent Benet's "The Devil and Daniel Webster" are the dramas. The Civic Theater players include Merrill McLaughlin, John Pooley Wright, Harrison Libbey, Mary Jo Day, Richard Walsh and Betty Rice. Continues through Saturday evening.

University Theater

"MURDER IN THE CATHEDRAL." T. S. Eliot's poetic drama on the death of Thomas a Becket, one of the most notable plays of modern literature, is being presented for the last time tonight by the speech and drama department of Catholic University under the direction of Walter F. Kerr and Dr. Josephine McGarry Callan. Leo Brady, Scott Kirkpatrick, Charles Grunwell, Francis X. Nolan and Fred Horton are included in the cast.

Atlas

"HOLLYWOOD REVELS." Richards and Carson and Jean Mayer will present a revue on the film colony as the leading stage attraction at the northeast theater opening Sunday afternoon to run through Tuesday. "Two Lunatrix" and Wally and Ward's company complete the stage bill. The double feature screen attraction will be "Swanee River" and "The Man from Montreal."

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

New York, March 27.

WHEN HERBERT HOOVER asked the producers of Broadway shows to present special performances for the benefit of Finland, one of the dissenters was Herman Shumlin, producer of "The Little Foxes." In a front-page dispute, Tallulah Bankhead, star of "The Little Foxes," vowed that if the management of that show refused to consent to this special performance, she would contribute $1,000 to the Finnish Relief Fund . . . Miss Bankhead kept that vow. She made that $1,000 contribution. Because of many incidental expenses accruing that week, Tallulah didn't have that much ready cash at hand . . . And so she borrowed the $1,000 from the management of her show.

MRS. WILLIAM O'DWYER, wife of Brooklyn's District Attorney, is being guarded day and night by detectives . . . Abe Reles, O'Dwyer's prize prisoner in the Murder Syndicate probe, is being questioned in the Hotel Bossert, in Brooklyn . . . Paul V. McNutt, who now has jurisdiction, has become interested in the job of getting American medical schools to accept the 400 American students at Scottish Universities, who were stranded here during vacation . . . Bill Buckner, who was photographed in the Easter parade on Sunday, made his poignant farewell to New York Monday night. He left today for Lewisburg Penitentiary, to begin his prison term.

MRS. HARVEY D. GIBSON has become very much theater-wise ever since her husband assumed the management of the New York World's Fair . . . Mrs. Gibson, accompained by impresario Michael Todd—who will become the Billy Rose of 1940—went to the Majestic Theater to see the Piccoli Puppets . . . When one puppet appeared onstage, and the audience applauded, Mrs. Gibson turned to Todd, and whispered: "This puppet must have relatives in the house."

THE FRENCH are criticizing the Duchess of Windsor because of her war-bracelet. It features the emblems of her husband's various regiments, in diamonds, connected by solid-gold bullets . . . The Department of Investigation just completed a check-up on Samuel Gompers Industrial High School, because of queer classroom registration figures.

UP TO A FEW DAYS before his death, Samuel Untermeyer conducted a feud with the Desert Inn, which adjoins the Untermeyer estate in Palm Springs . . . The great lawyer insisted upon the special $1.50 dinner-rate for his nurse, but didn't want her seated at the table reserved for servants—who receive that special dinner-rate for a $2.50 dinner. Untermeyer felt that a lower dinner rate shouldn't stamp his nurse as a servant, and demanded that she be allowed her own table and be treated as a guest . . . The feud was terminated shortly before his death. His son, Irwin, instructed the Desert Inn to seat the nurse at her own table, bill his father for her $1.50 dinner—and add the $1 difference to his own bill.

ALBERT CHAPERAU, the convicted smuggler, still is aiding the United States attorney's office, by acting as intermediary for his prison-colleagues who desire to tell all . . . Lord Beaverbrook, who contributed his famous country estate to the government, now is living in a 3-room workman's apartment in London . . . Jimmy Durante has all the backing he needs, for the World's Fair night club he plans to open . . . Albert Bein's "Heavenly Express," in which John Garfield is starred, is autobiographic. Garfield portrays a young hobo who loses his leg while riding the rails. Bein lost his leg that way, in the town he mentions in the play.

GENE FOWLER never is reluctant to autograph copies of his books. During his recent trip with W. C. Fields, to Sobaba Springs, a cowhand asked Fowler to autograph a copy of his "Illusion in Java" . . . "I don't know of a single copy which isn't autographed," Fields told the author. "Why do you keep on doing it?" . . . "I once met Trader Horn, who was a wise man," Fowler explained. "He autographed all his books, and told me: 'No one ever lends an autographed book.'"

EDGAR BERGEN was invited to lunch at the home of Emily Post, but refused—because he would be too conscious of his table manners. Bergen consented to come for cocktails. Emily, wearing her hat, greeted him at the door. After Bergen had entered, she removed her hat—and explained that she had put it on, just to greet him, because that's what a hostess should do . . . Henry Fonda now obliges autograph-hunters by signing "Henry Fonda and Tom Joad." At the 18 Club, at 2 a. m. Tuesday, Fonda took to the floor, and recited part of his Joad lines from "The Grapes of Wrath." Jack White announced: "Well, nobody can follow that" . . . "I can," said Chic Johnson, of Olsen and Johnson—walked out on the floor, minus his trousers, and poured a bottle of beer over his head.

U.S.-Paid Pastor Praying for Party A Hatch-Act Sin?

Des Moines, Iowa, March 27 (AP).—Is it a Hatch-act violation for a minister on the Federal pay roll to pray in public for "continued divine blessings upon the Democratic Party, its principles, policies, platform and candidates?"

Iowa Democratic Chairman E. H. Birmingham has asked Attorney General Jackson for a ruling on that question.

"At our 1938 State convention," Birmingham wrote, "we were glad to avail ourselves of the fervor and eloquence of the Rev. D. Gwilym Roberts, a Presbyterian minister employed as a watchman upon an NYA project.

"I hesitate to invite Dr. Roberts to open our 1940 convention with prayer, if this is illegal. Could he be punished under the law for praying upon such an occasion?"

Junior E. E.'s to Hold First Conclave Tonight

First meeting of the newly-organized Junior Section of the American Institute of Electric Engineers will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Pepco Building auditorium.

The meeting, to be preceded by a get-together dinner at 6:15 in the Harrington Hotel, will be for the purpose of organizing electric engineers under 30 years old as a separate discussion group.

The Federal Diary:

Five-Man Board to Survey Navy Civilian Workers' Wages

By Edward Ryan

Appointment of a five-man review board, including naval officials and labor representatives, to survey wages of the Navy's civilian working men, and adjust them to pay scales of private industry, was announced yesterday by Lewis Compton, Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

Their study, first of its kind in 12 years, will cover wages of mechanical workers, helpers, supervisors and in Navy and Marine stations, including some 11,000 employes in Washington and nearby.

Capt. Furer Heads Board

Appointed to the board were Capt. J. A. Furer, of the Navy Bureau of Construction and Repair; William D. Bergman, administrative assistant and chief clerk; F. W. Dyer, employe relations official for the Navy, and two labor representatives, W. A. Calvin, of the A. F. of L. Metal Trades Department, and Jacob Baker, president of C. I. O.'s United Federal Workers.

Their job will be to review facts on wages paid to workers in navy yards, air stations and other centers throughout the country, compare them with prevailing rates in private industry, and report to the Secretary of the Navy on what changes are needed to bring the two scales into line with each other.

These facts are being gathered by local investigating boards during a 12-week survey now in progress. In Washington, a seven-man board, headed by Capt. W. E. Brown, of the Washington Navy Yard, has been working more than a month on the local survey, which covers the wages of some 9,000 workers in the Washington Navy Yard, and those of 2,000 more in naval stations nearby.

Lower Than Union Scales

To determine the comparative scales, said Capt. Brown, the local board has been probing the wages paid by private employers in Washington, Baltimore, Alexandria and Annapolis. While they have until May 15 to complete the investigation, their studies so far indicate that the Navy wages are lower than prevailing union wages for equivalent types of work, higher than non-union wages.

After the last wage review in 1928, it was explained, the pay of civilian workmen for the Navy was "frozen" at the 1929 level, and held there while wages in private industry dropped through the depression years. While that lasted, no need was seen for calling a wage board into session, but now, officials explained, rising outside wages have led to the new study.

The National Wage Board will meet here May 16 and is expected to complete its report some time in June.

Little Lamb Arrives

Into the world of government and men a little lamb came yesterday, with its mother, for 10 days in a new home, the Department of Agriculture patio.

Only two weeks old, the lamb bleated cheerfully within a few feet of the caracul coat it might some day resemble.

Officials said, however, there was little chance that their visitor would be turned to use for a similar coat. It is one of the flock of caracul sheep at the Beltsville experimental station, and while its coat is the right type for a furpiece, the plans are to take it back to the farm.

The lamb and its mother will be kept in a special pen in the patio, as part of the Bureau of Animal Industry's exhibit.

Six to Retire March 31

Six veteran Washington employes of the Commerce Department will be retired March 31, it was announced yesterday. They are Wesley H. Crawford and Hannah F. Winslow, of the Census Bureau; Edmund P. Ellis and Sully B. Maize, of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, and John Luthy and Kathryn McHugh, of the Patent Office.

Associated Press Photo

A 9-day-old caracul lamb, destined to become part of a fur coat some one of these days, went on display yesterday at the Bureau of Animal Industry, Department of Agriculture. It blends perfectly with the caracul coat worn by Mildred Eaton, aide to Secretary of Agriculture Wallace

The Rev. Schnabel's Church to Honor Him

On the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ministry, the Rev. George E. Schnabel and family will be tendered a reception by the congregation of Albright Memorial Evangelical Church tomorrow at 8 p. m.

Exercises will take place in the church auditorium at Fourth and Rittenhouse streets northwest, on the site of which the clergyman launched the congregation in 1925 with services in a tent. During his pastorate, the church membership has grown from 13 to more than 500, while the Sunday school has enrolled 800 scholars.

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Tom Brown in "Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love." At 1:25, 3, 4:50, 6:30, 8:10, 9:55. Also short subject.

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The Jones Family in "Young as You Feel." At 1, 2:25, 4, 5:25, 6:55, 8:20, 10. Also short subject.

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Fred MacMurray—Barbara Stanwyck in "Remember the Night." At 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:25, 9:25. Also News.

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Ronald Colman—Ida Lupino—Walter Huston in "The Light That Failed." At 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30, 9:35. "Information Please" No. 5—Newsreel.

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Good Will Towards Men

Both for the occasion and for the times the words of Archbishop Curley, after his recent installation as head of the new archdiocese of Washington, were admirably chosen. Mentioning an antagonism toward his church which is, unfortunately, still latent among some Americans, he declared that the existence of this prejudice can never justify any counter-antagonism toward those who share it. "I want," he said, "no such feeling aroused in this new archdiocese or for that matter in any part of the world."

These are words which all of us may well take to heart. Not often in history have so many dark and destructive hatreds, affecting such masses of mankind, been unleashed upon the world as are evident today. Hatred now appears to have become almost the sole dynamic force actuating certain groups, perhaps even certain societies.

Wherever such hatreds succeed in arousing counter-hatreds they are already victorious. Philosophic or sectarian hatreds are no exceptions. Whenever these infect the lives of religious persons, religion itself is destroyed.

Here in America, up to now, a multiplicity of creeds and sects has managed to coexist with a measure of mutual amity which, while far from perfect, is probably without counterpart in history. Perhaps, as many argue, religion has been weakened by these divisions. At the same time few will deny that it must benefit by the growth of tolerance and of that charity which virtually all Christians acknowledge as the greatest and most necessary of virtues.

Reasonable Amendment

The District Commissioners have shown good judgment in modifying their decision of Tuesday to submit a "revised tax program" to Congress early in 1941. Immediate action is necessary to clear up the confusion surrounding the local income tax. And if Congress acts now, no revised tax program is likely to be necessary next year.

Yesterday the Commissioners gave wholehearted support to a proposal by Corporation Counsel Seal for amendment of the District income tax law as quickly as possible. That is obviously the most constructive approach.

It is true that Congress might be less political in its reaction to tax measures in 1941 than it is now. But the District is confronted by an emergency that cannot reasonably be ignored for a year. The Court of Appeals' decision in the Sweeney case has left a broad question as to who is and who is not liable to payment of income taxes to the District. Unless this issue is cleared up, the local Board of Tax Appeals and the courts will probably be swamped with hundreds of controversies.

Local officials are attempting to collect the tax from all persons domiciled in the District. Presumably the individual's legal residence will have to be determined in every controversial case. That enormous task should not be imposed on any tax-collecting agency. It should not, therefore, be difficult to convince Congress of the urgent need for a clarifying amendment.

To make the law workable and eliminate potential discriminations Mr. Seal proposes that it be extended to cover income earned in the District by nonresidents. A year ago a similar proposal raised a storm of protest in the House. But the situation has now completely changed. Federal employes whom the House sought to protect from the District levy are now subject to taxation in many States. They will not be penalized if a part of the taxes they must pay goes to the District where they enjoy the benefits of police protection, public health and many other services.

It happens that both Maryland and Virginia now collect heavier income taxes than does the District. Moreover, Virginia permits its residents to deduct from their State taxes amounts paid to other jurisdictions on income earned from sources outside the State. The Maryland law has a similar provision. So taxes paid to the District by Washingtonians living in suburbs across the line would simply be deducted from taxes paid to Maryland and Virginia. The total burden upon these citizens would be no heavier than it is now, and the funds collected would be equitably distributed.

No reasonable objection to this proposal has been raised. Certainly it would be more equitable than the income tax as it now stands. The refusal of the House even to consider the Nichols bill puts Congress under a special obligation to give this proposal a sympathetic hearing.

District Appropriation

For those citizens who are concerned over the shortcomings of Washington's municipal service the 1941 District appropriations bill, reported to the House yesterday by Representative Caldwell, contains many disappointments. It is impossible, of course, to include in any one budget all the improvements the city would like to see made. But a council of citizens representing the District could doubtless have made a more satisfactory distribution of available funds than the House subcommittee has done.

Some relief for the disgraceful conditions at Blue Plains is contemplated. The Home for the Aged and Infirm would be granted a resident physician, a nurse, a stenographer, five hospital attendants, three kitchen attendants and a small sum for repairs. No doubt the provision for a principal assistant director of public welfare to exercise immediate supervision over Blue Plains and similar institutions will have a salutary effect. But there is little ground for hope that these palliatives will transform this long neglected home into a model institution.

The $15,000 item for the schooling of handicapped children is a belated recognition of the fact that the community has obligations to youngsters physically unable to attend regular classes. Probably that sum will prove inadequate to carry on the project initiated by the WPA. But any appropriation for this purpose will be net gain. Why the committee assigned the fund to the Board of Public Welfare instead of the Board of Education is a mystery that calls for explanation.

Coming on the heels of the Person committee report, requesting replacement of numerous obsolete and worn out schools, the slash in funds allowed the Board of Education is very discouraging. Year after year plans for modernization of the District's school system are made, only to be brushed into the wastebasket by the appropriations subcommittee.

Failure to grant funds for any additional policemen, too, is a strange response to the crime wave rampant here in recent months. When the White House recently asked that its police force be increased from 60 to 80 men the House passed the bill by unanimous consent. Such discrimination between national and local interests in the Capital City makes an extremely bad impression.

It is impossible, moreover, to reconcile the elimination of $13,000 for a health center site with the approval of $1,100,000 for construction of a National Guard Armory. Relief funds have been once more reduced. The conclusion seems unavoidable that the District's budget makers on Capitol Hill are still more interested in adorning the city than in providing for the welfare of the rank and file who regard Washington as their home.

France And Russia

In asking for the recall of Jacob Surits, the Russian Ambassador to Paris, on the ground that he had become *persona non grata*, the French government took what appears to be another step in the direction of breaking off diplomatic relations with the U. S. S. R.

There can be little doubt that the Soviet envoy made himself objectionable to the French by addressing to Stalin, after Russia's victory in Finland, an uncoded telegram gloating over the discomfiture of the "British and French warmongers who attempted to fan the flames of war in northeastern Europe." But there can equally be little doubt that this silly incident might have been ignored had not Franco-Russian relations already undergone considerable deterioration.

The French irritation with the Soviet Union has a basis in domestic as well as in foreign policy. The French have not forgotten that the Russo-German pact of 1939 was a repudiation of the earlier Franco-Russian alliance. And that pact led the French Communists who followed the party line to take a stand wholly favorable to Hitler and disruptive of France's war effort.

It is hardly surprising, then, that since the war began there has been a growing movement in France in favor of openly treating Russia as an enemy. In Great Britain, where the Communists have never been numerous or important, that feeling is much less developed. But in their attitude toward Russia, as in other respects, French and British policies will be uniform.

It does not appear that the recall of Surits, and the continued absence from Moscow of the French Ambassador, will necessarily be followed by a complete break. The present trend in Franco-Russian relations does, however, indicate that the Allies are fully prepared to treat Russia as an enemy, if any practical end is served thereby. And however welcome such a move might be in Berlin, it is doubtful if it would be viewed with any enthusiasm in Moscow, which would view with alarm any development likely to increase Russia's dependence on and subservience to the Third Reich.

Canada's Election

When the Liberals swept the polls in Quebec's provincial election last October their success foreshadowed the development that was repeated on a nation-wide scale this week.

To be sure, the Liberals already held an overwhelming majority in the House of Commons when Premier Mackenzie King dissolved that body and ordered a general election two months ago. At the time of dissolution Mr. King's party was in control of 169 of the 245 seats in the House, with the Conservatives holding about half of the remaining seats and the balance divided among Social Creditors, members of the left-wing Cooperative Commonwealth Federation and Independents.

Facing an election which their leadership did not desire, but ineptly forced, there was little hope even in the most ardent Conservative quarters that the Liberals would be turned out of office. Many assumed, however, that the top-heavy Liberal majority would be whittled down. While there has been relatively little criticism of the King government's action in bringing Canada into the war on the side of Great Britain, the regime has been under sharp attack for alleged inadequacy and inefficiency in its war effort. Its critics included not only Conservatives but also such powerful Liberal politicians as Premier Hepburn of Ontario.

How little effect the attacks on Premier King and his government had on the electorate is now revealed. The Liberals have actually increased their huge majority. The Conservatives will not be able to count on more than 40 seats and all the smaller parties combined have returned only two dozen members.

In other words, the Liberal landslide of 1935 has been followed by a landslide of even greater dimensions this week. Many of the leading Conservative candidates, including the party leader, Dr. Manion, have been defeated and the left-wing parties have also lost representation.

The election must, therefore, be regarded as a remarkable vote of confidence in Mackenzie King, as well as a tribute to his shrewd political sagacity. At a critical moment in the destinies of the Canadian people Mr. King stands as their unchallenged leader. His record as premier in peace and in war has been submitted to the test of a nation-wide plebiscite and he has been returned, for a term of another five years if he desires to serve that long, by a majority of a proportion seldom obtainable in a democracy.

Sunspots

Until the other day our faith in man was sinking lower and lower, like water in a bath tub with the plug pulled out. Now we are not so sure. There may be something to the theory that the first of the primates is more sinned against than sinning.

Scientists tell us that the disruption of wire and wireless communication which occurred over the week-end was due to a magnetic storm produced by sunspots. We do not doubt the hypothesis. But the men of the laboratory probably do not go far enough. Perhaps, as some have suggested, sunspots affect men as well as man's inventions. Perhaps the evils that plague us—war and unemployment and boogie-woogie music—are not really man-made but the malign result of this bombardment of electric particles.

Perhaps Hitler is, at bottom, only a passing shadow on the face of the sun and Stalin only an excess of ions in the stratosphere. Perhaps men die in the trenches and are plunged to their doom from the skies because Old Sol is plagued by a rash.

You don't believe it? Well, maybe there is nothing to the theory. But somehow it is much more comforting to believe that our curious propensity to go haywire is the result of forces millions of light years away than to confront man's own incurable idiocy. The case rests.

Sic Transit

From The Richmond Times-Dispatch.

The story of Harold E. Dahl makes an excellent footnote to Washington's farewell address. This veteran of the Spanish war somewhat bitterly calls himself a "living sermon" on the folly of fighting in other people's wars.

In the first place, the soldier of fortune is broke, and, in addition, is wanted on bad-check charges in California. The rebels promised him $1,500 a month for his services as combat pilot, and once paid him a bonus of $1,000 for bringing down two enemy planes. "But," he added, "I've got nothing to show for it now."

There is an interesting parallel here for our Government's "war baby" profits and the foreign loans in the late war to make the world safe for democracy.

But to some of the men who wore the United States uniform in 1917 and 1918, the most strikingly ironic resemblance between their return and Dahl's lies, perhaps, in the greeting his wife gave him at the pier. Her remark is the perfect composite of the disillusioning reception certain of the folks back home gave the "returning heroes" back in 1918.

"Don't spoil my makeup, darling," said she.

A Long Way Apart

Letters To The Editor

All communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

Old Horses

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I noticed the following item on the front page of The Post of March 23:

Oldest Horse, 39. Once in Films Dies.

Rockleigh, N. J., March 22 (AP).—Anna, said by her owner to be the oldest horse in the world, died today in her stable. She was 39, nearly double the life span of the average horse. Anna was ridden by Rudolph Valentino in the motion picture, "The Sheik."

What interested me was they claim it to be 39 years old and the oldest horse in the world. I owned a mare that was born May 1, 1900, from a mare owned by Nimrod Etzler, at Etzler's mill, Frederick County, Md. She died February 26, 1940, making her age 39 years 9 months and 26 days.

FRANCIS W. BRUNNER.
Frederick, Md., March 25.

Our Town In Pictures

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: May I thank you most sincerely for the most unusual and splendid publicity which was given to the churches and other religious organizations in our city in The Post of March 24? Such publicity is not only interesting but very helpful in the promotion of the work of the churches of our city.

PAGE McK. ETCHISON,
Religious Work Director, Y. M. C. A.
Washington, March 26.

The Gibbon Controversy

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Your editorial on Miss Gibbon's case at George Washington University was presumably a sincere effort to reason through the situation in a logical manner. There are some important factors the inclusion of which would alter the logic of analysis. According to her statement, which President Marvin has not seen fit to deny, Miss Gibbon was assured by the president that the lack of a Ph. D. degree would not be an obstacle to her progress in the university.

The question arises whether a similar lack has hindered others on the faculty of that university from becoming associate professors or better. Perusal of the 1939-40 edition of the university catalogue reveals that almost one-third of the positions of associate professors or higher rank is held by persons who have no doctorate or comparative degree. Such promotions were undoubtedly made in consideration of merit in defiance of academic red tape.

There are several indications that Miss Gibbon is a person of rare teaching talent. In the first place, Miss Copper and Mr. Stone, of the English department, attested to her ability by signed statements. In the second place, a large segment of the student body which has studied with Miss Gibbon has also put in writing its belief in her aptitude as a teacher. Lastly, your own editorial writer confesses to the same.

In spite of this testimony in acclaim of Miss Gibbon, Dr. Marvin seemingly replied, when Mr. Stone recommended her for promotion, that her failure to attain a Ph. D degree stood in the way and that she was administratively undesirable.

The question, then, is not one of degrees attained, or of merit as a teacher, but is one resting upon a definition of "administratively undesirable." Since Dr. Marvin is the administration, I feel that his silence is unseeming and that he should explain this ambiguous phrase.

NORMAN A. PIERCE.
Washington, March 25.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Your editorial, "Smoke Without Fire," of March 24, disappointed me. I doubt that it measured up to the standards of excellency of your paper. You may rest assured that where there is smoke, there is also fire!

I have been connected with George Washington as an undergraduate and graduate student for a number of years and it seems to me incredible that you, with such an excellent staff, could have missed a perpetual smoldering of so general and long standing a character as this. The case of Miss Gibbon is but one of many.

Dr. Marvin has been building feverishly. I have watched his progress from 1930 to the present day and I see the difference in the campus, pictures and all. But I have also witnessed the other side of his administration. And I frankly doubt that the balance sheet favors Dr. Marvin.

A cowed faculty and a cynical student body cannot produce intellectual leadership, regardless of how many new buildings stand on the campus!

ANTON DRUZINA.
Washington, March 25.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I am in complete accord with that part of your editorial in the Post of March 24 on the resignation of Miss Gibbon from George Washington University in which you say "a large volume of smoke does not necessarily indicate a serious fire..." However, small fires sometimes develop into serious conflagrations. It seems that such is the case here.

It seems to me in fairness to all concerned, including Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, that a complete investigation by an impartial group of civic minded persons could have nothing but a beneficial effect.

We in Washington, who do not have a State university, have grown to feel that George Washington is our school, and we resent any doubts cast upon the integrity of its administration.

Because I have lived in Washington for nearly 30 years and have myself attended the university, I feel something more than a mere academic interest in the matter. At the present time two of my sons are students at the university.

Regardless of the merits of the case, I have been deeply concerned by the recent attacks by a committee representing a certain group of the alumni of the university regarding the ability and character of its president, Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin.

The action of the committee came as a complete surprise to me. I have never heard anything but praise for the excellent progress the university has made under the administration of Dr. Marvin. About the resignation of Miss Gibbon or the reasons that caused her to take such action, I know nothing. But it does seem to me that the matter has gone beyond Miss Gibbon's action and has reached the stage where a complete and full airing of the whole matter would have a most salutary effect on all concerned.

I am certain that Dr. Marvin not only would be agreeable to such an investigation, but would welcome it as an opportunity to vindicate his name in the face of possible scurrilous attacks which might never die unless they are at this time brought to light and revealed for what they are.

I feel that all the newspapers have so far overlooked the fact that their "playing down" of the case may have done a wrong to Dr. Marvin. He has been placed in an embarrassing position and the community, backed by its newspapers, should give him a chance to have a public opportunity to vindicate himself of such attacks.

ISAAC TEPPER.
Washington, March 26.

"Setback For Television"

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: It is unfortunate that in your mild editorial of March 25 on the "Setback for Television" there was reference to the past of telephone and sound movies. The FCC in its condemnation of promotion efforts for television cannot rely on such comfortable criteria.

Since it is acknowledged that television is in a fluid state, we are faced with the problem of who pays for progress. In the instance of the telephone, the equipment was rented to the general public and the rentals paid for actual use and service. Of course, a certain amount of that rental went toward a depreciation fund to provide for advances in the industry. But the public, in the case of telephones, was not required to spend a large amount of money for equipment having rapid obsolescence.

In sound movies, we again see that commercial interests were the ones having the investment in equipment. The movie-going public only paid the price of admission, and the exhibitor bought newer and better equipment from his profits.

Television cannot even be compared to our present day radio. There are many so-called outmoded sets still operating today. Homes in rural America in many cases hear today's radio programs through the old Atwater Kent and Fried-Eisman receivers. While radio receivers progressed to where automatic volume controls, push-button tuning, and myriad other devices were added, the principle of reception remained the same.

In television the receiver must be perfectly synchronized to the transmitter. Obviously a receiver synchronized to receive an image containing 441 lines, polarized horizontally, and changing at the rate of 30 frames per second, would be useless when transmitting stations found that 605 lines, polarized vertically, and changing at the rate of 24 frames per second, would be a great improvement.

If receivers in their present state were sold widely and such a change did come about—to blackout existing public investment—no doubt your editorial writer would dash off a piece on Government responsibility for preventing blue-sky sales.

Television will have to forge ahead, but since it is an unknown and untried development and since its use depends upon a thumping public investment it will have to go forward at a snail's pace. The FCC in this case appears to be right in its insistence for caution.

EDGAR M. JONES.
Washington, March 25.

"At Brennero"

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I have read with interest your editorial of March 19, "At Brennero." It is sad to look on in impotence while the European culture of which we are a part commits suicide, but what makes the hair rise are complaints about Allied inactivity. Rather should we pray that Europe postpone converting itself into a charnel-house as long as possible, hoping that the severity of necessity will compel some solution to be found. The price Europe is paying for war is death.

Asiatic Russia and the Land of the Rising Sun are quite ready to make over the world in their own behalf. What will it profit England and Germany to destroy each other for world trade, when the yellow peril is so diligently taking advantage of their preoccupation?

If Europe were sane now, it would heed Franklin's warning about hanging together to escape hanging separately.

ETHEL THOMPSON.
Houston, Tex., March 23.

The Post Impressionist

Room And Board

We banged the door-knocker and a pleasant young man ushered us in. He was in shirt sleeves and carried a hammer.

"I'm hanging mirrors," he said. "Look out for the paint and don't step on any nails."

"We saw your 'Room and Board' sign in the window," we said, "but we're not a customer. We're just a roving reporter."

The young man said that was all right with him and what did we want to know.

"Give us a landlord's-eye view," we said. "Do guests complain when you serve liver? What's the life expectancy of a Turkish towel? Have you a thin, crochety lady who can't stand the radio?"

The young man laughed. "Come around in a month and I'll tell you the whole sad story," he said. "This place isn't even open yet. My wife and I started it because we got mad. Do you want to hear about that?"

"We do," we said.

"I'm from Massachusettes," he said, "and I've been rooming around Washington for ten years. So has my wife. She's from Illinois. We're both in the Government. When we first came here we belonged in the majority group—the people who couldn't afford hotels or apartments or swank boarding houses. We sent money home, too. Lots of Government people do.

"Well, we lived in furnished rooms. You may not know it, but renting out rooms is a major industry in Washington. The demand is always greater than the supply and anybody with a spare clothes closet can put a bed in it and rent it.

"Now don't get me wrong. I'm not panning the whole town. If you've got the money, you can live in comfort. But there is a housing problem in this city for the thousands who don't make top salaries. See?

Another thing, young people away from home are lonely and homesick. And I tell you, a furnished room can be the loneliest place in the world. It doesn't have to be. What I mean is, a room can be homelike if it's planned for living, not just for renting. My wife and I could always find a room, but never a home. See what I mean?

"About three months ago we got talking about all the furnished rooms we'd had, and between us I think we've lived in every one in the District. Some were dark, some were cold, some had hard beds, some lacked chairs or clothes closets or proper lighting. Every one was minus some little convenience or comfort. The more we talked, the madder we got. We decided that an inexpensive boarding house could be a home and we're going to prove it in this house or go flat broke. I'd like to show you the place if you've got a minute."

We crawled over packing cases and peered in at the dining room from the doorway. We saw a magnificent Georgian chandelier and a mahogany fireplace, intricately carved.

"This used to be an Ambassador's home," said the young man, "but think nothing of it. Lots of mansions and embassies have been turned into guest houses down here. That's a swell fireplace, but my guests can't eat it. I'm going to serve food I always wanted when I was a roomer. Boy, how I used to dream about Boston baked beans and brown bread. We're going to serve balanced meals and keep everybody healthy.

"My wife picked out the drapes. She says the dining room must be gay and cheerful. We're going to have flowers all the time, too. The whole house is furnished in maple, American Colonial style. All brand-new stuff. We chose maple because we always wanted it ourselves.

We clattered noisily up the stairs. "Going to put carpet on the steps," said the young man. "Now here's our idea of a home away from home." We entered a large, sunlit studio room. "Every room is furnished as nearly like a living room or studio as we could make it," he said. "We want people to be able to entertain in a nice way. See what I mean? That bed looks like a studio couch, but it's an honest-to-pete bed on springs. The real McCoy. Just sit down and bounce on it." We bounced, obediently.

"Each room is a double or triple. We'd have to charge too much if we made these big rooms into singles. Every room has a different color couch-cover and matching pillow. See that maple desk and chair? One in every room. People study a lot down here and write letters home. Everybody has a desk lamp and another lamp for reading as well as center lights. And I don't care what size globe they use—even 100 watt if they can stand it.

"Notice there's plenty of drawer space—a bureau and chest of drawers in every room so you won't have to hang things up on the floor.

"Every room has sun like this one and most of them have a fireplace. We can't take credit for those, I suppose, but they're here, anyway.

"Down the hall here is the bath. Three of them in the house and each one as big as a garage. The Ambassador must have been a husky guy. I'm going to put a needle shower in every bathroom.

"It looks like a good thing," we said. "Expensive?"

"Our rates are based on what we know about average salaries and living expenses in Washington—and do we know! We keep the prices down as low as possible. Our monthly rates are $35, $38.50 and $40, depending. That includes room, two meals a day and maid service. You get the idea. This is a home for young men and women who can't afford to pay more and who can't stand furnished rooms. Right?"

"Right," we said, "and thanks."

He saw us to the door. As we started down the steps, we heard his jovial voice again. "Come on up and have dinner with us some night," he said. "Old-fashioned New England cooking. Best in the world."

"It's a date," we said.

MATHEA DORIS.

Books And Things

By Lewis Gannett

Black Earth

"THE HAPPY LAND," by Eric Knight (Harper, $2.50), is a novel of Yorkshire and its coal miners under the blight of the depression. Honestly and richly told, it is the story of people who wished to be decent, to get ahead, to be good citizens—and found, inexorably and slowly, every avenue of opportunity closed to them by causes beyond their comprehension. The Cloughs were of the slow, strong people that are the inarticulate strength of England. Mr. Knight may sentimentalize them a little—not much. What he does not sentimentalize at all, but shows in its naked grayness, is the gradual wear of the workless days upon them—the pride that kept off the dole as long as it could, but was forced on the dole at last—the strong men driven to steal coal at the slag piles—the malnourished children, put on free milk for a while till they were just strong enough to go hungry again—the whole cat-and-mouse business of half-starvation and the broken morale that goes with it.

Tom Clough was the first to break—an easy-going man, he got to accept the dole as a system of life. Fred walked his shoes through seeking work that was not to be found; he ended in a labor camp. Big Matt went to jail when the coal stealers were arrested, and the fact that he happened to be innocent did not count in his favor. Only Thora, the bitterly independent, who had tried to keep the family together, won through to a moment's security with her somewhat improbable American, just as the new war broke out. And perhaps the bitterest point in Mr. Knight's indictment is the last scene, when the war itself comes to these as relief rather than as horror. It may destroy their world—at least it gives them work to do.

So told, Mr. Knight's fine book sounds unrelievedly grim. It is not; it is full of earthy humor and, here and there, of scornful irony. The scene where Tom Clough and his friend Napper, the class-conscious proletarian, unite in singing "The boys of the bulldog greed"—"for us can stand more downtreading than any other proletarians in t'world"—is one to linger long in the memory.

"The Happy Land" has its faults. The semi-lyrical first and last chapters could well have been omitted. The American, Edward Ferrell, is made out of paper compared to the other characters. And what flight of publisher's fancy decorated the novel with its excessively inappropriate jacket must ever be a mystery to the present reviewer. But it is a strong novel, a live one and a passionate one. It would be too easy to call it an English "Grapes of Wrath," but the same strong force and honesty have gone into its making.

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DOROTHY THOMPSON. Her articles appear each Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

WALTER LIPPMANN. Mr. Lippmann, now in Europe for a first-hand study of conditions there, will return next month. Thereafter his articles will appear, as formerly, each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

MARK SULLIVAN. His column appears each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

ERNEST LINDLEY. His column appears each Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

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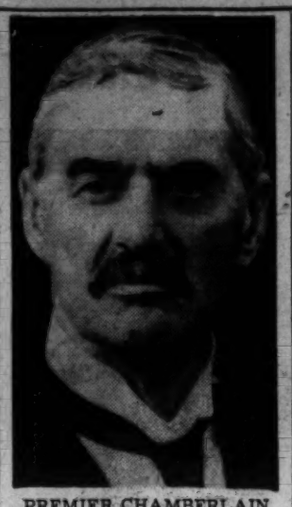

PREMIER CHAMBERLAIN

Does the recent French cabinet crisis presage a shake up in his government, too? See the Raymond Daniel's dispatch from London concerning British dissatisfaction with the conduct of the war

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Disney, Inc., Before SEC

Scene: Meeting of the SEC to consider the listing of Disney Pictures, Inc., on the stock exchange.

Chairman—What's before us this morning?

Secretary—The Walt Disney application.

Chairman—I smell a mouse.

Secretary—If you don't you will.

A Committeeman—Just what is the proposition?

Chairman (examining the papers)—Mr. Disney wishes to offer stock in Mickey, Minnie, Pluto, the Three Little Pigs, Pinocchio, etc.

(At this minute there is a terrific disturbance at the door.)

Chairman—What's all the row?

Doorman—It's Donald Duck.

Donald (crashing through)—Wha-wha-wha-what's goin' on?

Chairman (sternly)—You can't lay an egg in here.

Donald—Why not? Whitney did.

Chairman—If you want to get a hearing here you've got to be better behaved.

Donald—The market is so well behaved now that it is practically dead. Even Dopey has more pep.

Chairman—By the way, whatever became of Dopey?

Donald—I think Roosevelt put him on some Federal trade board.

Chairman—Mickey Mouse to the stand!

Mickey—Good morning, gentlemen.

Chairman—What do you think about gonig on the stock exchange?

Mickey—I think it's swell.

Chairman—Aren't you afraid of rats?

Mickey—Yes, but I understand they've all been driven out.

Chairman—Aren't you happier where you are? There's no chance for wild chases, crazy pranks and general mischief in Wall street.

Mickey—Oh, I dunno; the SEC seems to be doing pretty well. If I'm admitted to the exchange what happens?

Chairman—You become eligible for all of our investigations.

Mickey—But I've never been charged with anything.

Chairman—We'll take care of that.

Mickey—I don't think I've got the endurance to stand it.

Pinocchio—Mr. Chairman, can't I be heard from next?

Chairman—Not if Jiminy Cricket is with you.

Pinocchio—Why not?

Chairman—A conscience in the stock market would disrupt everything.

Chairman — Let's hear from Snow White

A Commissioner—Do you mean Secretary Ickes or Frank Murphy?

Chairman—No, I mean Snow White the Fairy Queen. She could clean up the stock market by a wave of her wand.

Commissioner — If she did, where would you and I be?

(The Disney characters suddenly break into a typical animated cartoon scene, romping all over the room.)

Chairman—Stop! You fellows are too obstreperous, too disturbing to the stock exchange.

Donald Duck—If it has stood for you it can stand for us.

Jim Farley is persistently reported as interested in buying the New York Yankees. After all these years in politics, possibly Jim has a terrific yen to live in a world where it is possible to tell what is going on at all times.

"Vicarious Atonement"

By Mark Sullivan

The Anti-Lynch Bill

THERE IS a crime. It is a very rare crime. It has been diminishing for 70 years; and last year there were only 3 cases in the whole United States. The name of the crime is lynching. (Can anyone think of a rarer crime than that? It would be an interesting research.)

As it happens, there is one crime rarer still, though not one the reader is apt to think of. This rarer crime is failure of a law officer, a sheriff for example, to use due diligence to prevent or punish lynching. This is the rarest crime there is. (I do not find, in several score pages of Congressional debates, any allegation that any law officer was remiss in the 3 cases of lynching last year.)

Yet, to debate a bill giving the Federal Government jurisdiction over this rarest of crimes, this practically non-existent crime, failure of diligence—to debate that, the House has spent almost the whole of two days' sessions. And a sub-committee of the Senate has given many hours to hearings. Finally the Judiciary Committee of the Senate has voted, 12 to 4, to put the bill on the Senate calendar. Whenever it is taken up, the Senate will spend not merely hours and days on the bill, but probably weeks. For everybody knows the bill, if pressed in the Senate, will be resisted—filibustered if you wish to call it that—as long as necessary to keep it from passing. A similar bill, 2 years ago, consumed 18 days of resistance.

Why? Why all this time and commotion about a practically nonexistent crime?

WELL, THERE IS one person who should be exceptionally able to answer. The bill is supposed to be in the interest of Negroes. (Though in fact, of the three lynchings last year, one was of a white man, and something like this ratio has existed through the whole history of lynching.) There is a Negro in Congress, he represents a Chicago district, he is a Democrat, Representative Arthur W. Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell told the reason for the antilynching bill, as he saw it. He said, "the Republicans are trying to buy back the Negro vote with this bill."

Now Mr. Mitchell was correct—so far as he went. But he omitted exactly 50 per cent of what he might have said. Clue to the whole truth is to be found in Mr. Mitchell's word "back"—"buy back the Negro vote." Buy it back from whom?

The whole story can be put in a paragraph of compact history. For some 70 years the Republicans had the Negro vote, as a sentimental reward for the party's opposition to slavery. Then, in 1932, and more in 1936, many Negroes went Democratic, voted for President Roosevelt. Meantime the Negro vote had become important. Great numbers of Southern Negroes, migrating to northern cities, became a decisive factor in the elections in several States—New York, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois.

THIS VOTE the Republicans would like to get back. This vote the Democrats would like to keep. Hence the so-called "antilynching" bill. In Congress it was a kind of friendly competitive bidding. The bill had bipartisan sponsorship. One sponsor was a Republican, Congressman Hamilton Fish; the other was a Democrat, Congressman Gavagan; both were from New York districts.

In the competition the Republicans made, on the whole, rather the better bid. On the final roll-call, practically all the Republicans voted for the bill, all except 8. The Democrats divided, almost in half. Voting for the bill were 109 Democrats, substantially all from Northern States, where the Negro vote is important. Against the bill were 123 Democrats, mainly from the South. The complete figures were:

For the bill, 140 Republicans, 109 Democrats.

Against, 8 Republicans, 123 Democrats.

The bill is mainly, as Democratic Congressman David Terry, of Arkansas, put it, "a purely political gesture used as a colored vote getter," by both parties.

YET MORE needs to be said, decidedly. Not all the votes for the bill were sordidly political, not by any means. Many, knowing that lynching has substantially disappeared knowing that the bill could have little or no practical effect, nevertheless supported it. They did so in the spirit of what theology calls an "act of contrition," or "vicarious atonement," for past wrongs against the Negro. Others supported it in a spirit of symbolism, as a protest against still continuing discriminations against the Negro, in hotels and theaters, in some States at the polling place.

It is chiefly as a symbol, a symbol of equal civil rights, that the bill has whatever appeal it has for Negroes. They know, as well as everybody else knows, and as well as the facts tell, that lynching has practically died out. They know it is already made a crime by the laws of every State. They know it is condemned and punished by the people of the Southern States. They know that most of the Southern Democrats, who voted against the bill, did so not because they condone lynching, but because of the issue of States rights involved, because of the intrusion of Washington into local government.

That is the reason the very able and conscientious Republican Congressman James W. Wadsworth, of New York, departed from his party to oppose this bill. That is the reason previous antilynching bills were always opposed by the late Senator Borah. Whatever merit the antilynching bill may have as a humanitarian gesture, is far outweighed by its danger as a step toward centralized, Federal Government, toward weakening the local self-government of States and counties.

REPRESENTATIVE WADSWORTH

Was he well advised to bolt the rest of his party to oppose the Federal anti-lynching bill? See Mark Sullivan's discussion today

England Wants Action

By Raymond Daniel

Repercussions Of The Finnish Defeat

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SO CLOSE are relations between this country and France that political developments in the one are bound to react on the other. Thus the cabinet changes in France are bound to stimulate agitation for a political reshuffle here. More important even than this, however, is the need for the establishment of a working understanding between Paul Reynaud, the new French premier, and Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain on the conduct of the war in the crucial days ahead.

Therefore, it may be confidently assumed that a meeting of the supreme war council will take place as soon as possible and that the military experts of Britain and France will be called upon to advise how and where the forces are to be concentrated and the ultimate blow delivered. The people of Britain and France, observing the diplomatic struggle going against them, are clamoring louder and louder for their leaders to seize the initiative from Adolf Hitler.

The speech of Premier Reynaud last night found a welcome reception here. The note of aggressiveness and the call for total war found a receptive audience among the people, although some of the more cautious national leaders read it with concern lest the impetuous French jump the gun too soon.

THE CHANGES in the French government have left many issues for the war council to determine. One of the most pressing is what is to be done about the iron ore from Swedish mines which finds its way to Germany through Norwegian coastal waters, where British supremacy at sea can exert itself only by risking the accusation of violating the very principles of international law which the Allies would have the world believe they are fighting to uphold.

The problem of how to cope with this leakage through the contraband control is one of the most urgent facing the Allies today, for within their grasp is an opportunity not only to hamper Germany's import of raw materials, of which the sinews of war are fabricated, but a chance of regaining the prestige lost when the Finns, whose cause they upheld, had to capitulate to Russia on terms less advantageous than those offered by the Soviets before the shooting began last November.

There is reason to believe that the Allies are becoming fed up with the constant misuse of Norwegian waters by German ships and are preparing to hold that the failure of Norway to maintain the neutrality of its coastal waters gives them the right to assist that country to patrol them. It was this theory which provided the justification for the British navy's invasion of Norway's territorial waters to liberate British prisoners from the Altmark, which, incidentally, reached Kiel tonight after the most dramatic encounter of the war.

NOW THAT spring is coming and the Gulf of Bothnia is opening to shipping, the problem of shutting off Norwegian coastal waters to German ore ships is strategically less important. But the Allies are in the position of needing a moral victory at least for the psychological effect at home, where the collapse of Finnish resistance to Russia is regarded as a major defeat.

At the same time, with Germany and Russia trying to convince the Balkans, especially Rumania, that the Allies are impotent to keep their promises to countries that are threatened, the time clearly calls for decisive action to restore the confidence of the small, fence-sitting neutrals.

THERE ARE other questions for the military and political leaders of the two countries to discuss and it is reasonable to expect that discussions will be held soon to reestablish that unanimity of thought which, outwardly at least, existed while Edouard Daladier headed the French government. One important issue to be settled is the future relations of this country with Russia, for in some circles here it is thought that the quickest way to defeat the aggressors is to tackle the Soviets and the Nazis at the same time.

That is a decision for the war in the future rather than the immediate present, however. The view here is that the French complaint about the behavior of the Soviet Ambassador in Paris leading to his recall was a domestic issue not affecting the status of Soviet Ambassador Ivan Maisky in London. At the same time the feeling is generally held that this country stands on the threshold of a new phase of the war.

One of the questions which remains to be answered in the next few days is how far Prime Minister Chamberlain will find it necessary to go in reorganizing his cabinet to conform with the new political situation in France. In these days close cooperation between the two countries, each of which is equally represented in the war council, is necessary, for they are like a team of matched horses and it is imperative that the leadership of both should be gaited to each other.

The Capital Of Credit Agencies

Should Farm Loans And Other Programs Be Linked?

By Anna P. Youngman

IN HIS BUDGET message for 1941 President Roosevelt stated that a lessening need for loans in some cases and growing surpluses in others have left certain Government corporations with excess capital funds.

"On the basis of preliminary estimates," he said, "I estimate that it will prove feasible to reduce the capital funds of some of these corporations by an aggregate figure of $700,000,000, without in any way impeding their operations. In the case of certain lending agencies, any funds received from the retirement of stock will be credited to revolving funds in the Treasury and will be available for new subscriptions to stock when, as and if needed."

The recapture of $700,000,000, together with recommended new taxes totalling $460,000,000, would, according to budget estimates, enable the Government to end the fiscal year 1941 within the $45,000,000,000 statutory debt limit. Consequently it has been quite generally assumed that the President's proposal is simply an expedient for escaping an increase in the debt limit.

The budgetary implications of this suggestion have been discussed at length, but the possible effect upon Federal lending agencies deprived of capital funds has received comparatively little attention. No information has been vouchsafed about the agencies that might be called upon to surrender capital. No hearings have been held on the proposal by the Budget Bureau, nor has there been any discussion of the tests of adequacy to be applied in deciding upon the amounts of capital that could be safely returned to the Government.

IF CERTAIN lending agencies are in possession of more capital than they require to carry on their operations, with a sufficient margin to cover possible losses, the Government should, of course, act promptly to recover the excess funds. For it is unwise to put at the disposal of any credit agency, public or private, more capital than it needs for safe and efficient conduct of its business. The temptation to engage in extra-hazardous types of lending in order to employ resources more fully is greatly increased under such circumstances.

However, the process of capital reduction has to be executed with extreme caution to avoid handicapping the agencies affected and impairing the value of outstanding obligations for the repayment of which they are responsible. Hence the President's plan raises a number of very important questions concerning methods of procedure that call for discussions on their merits, quite apart from their bearing upon the size of the budgetary deficit.

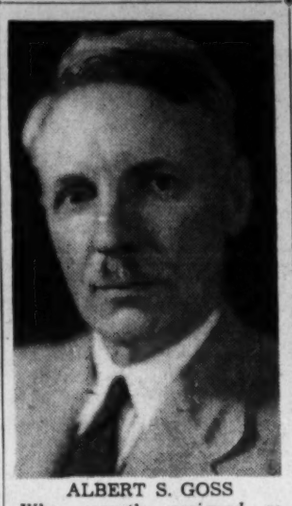
What, for instance, should be the test of adequate capitalization in case of a Government lending agency? Obviously that depends upon the purpose for which it was organized and also upon the character of the policies pursued. If it is set up as an independent organization with a stated capitalization, operating without the aid of current Governmental subsidies and without Government guarantees of its bonds or debentures, it requires a capital backing comparing favorably with that of a private lending agency.

Heads of Government lending agencies operating without the aid of current subsidies, trying to maintain the financial solvency of the organizations under their control, will therefore be alarmed by any proposal that looks toward recapture of capital funds and possible depletion of surplus in the absence of assurance that essential reserves will be left untouched.

THE AGRICULTURAL lending agencies belonging to the formerly independent Farm Credit Administration, now shifted to the Department of Agriculture by executive reorganization order, illustrate some of the complications that may arise if the President's plan to recapture capital funds should become effective.

From the viewpoint of the Department of Agriculture, of course, the linkage of the farm credit operations with the general agricultural program is logical—one might also say, inevitable.

Hence, if FCA credit agencies are to be maintained as organizations having the primary function of facilitating the flow of credit to farmers on a sound business basis, they should be left under independent management not subject to the control of a political appointee. As E. M. Ehrhard, for almost 13 years president of the Federal Land Banks, of Spokane, said in tendering his resignation, "the thing that makes integration with the Department of Agriculture unsafe for the Farm Credit Administration is that the Secretary of Agriculture, with all his multitudinous programs, must be continually asking Congress for legislative assistance and appropriations of public funds. It is only common sense to say that under present procedure these things cannot be accomplished without concessions here and there along the line, in which political patronage is very definitely involved."



ALBERT S. GOSS

Who recently resigned as Federal Land Bank Commissioner

THE FEDERAL LAND BANKS are the oldest in point of time of the agricultural lending agencies, having been organized in 1917 to make long-term capital loans to farmers on the security of first mortgages. In 1932 the Secretary of the Treasury subscribed $125,000,000 to land bank stock to enable them to expend their operations at a time of acute agricultural crisis when private leading agencies had withdrawn from the field.

The land banks are among the very few Federal lending agencies whose capital stock is not wholly owned by the Government. They lend principally through national farm loan associations whose members are farm borrowers. Each borrower purchases stock of his association to 5 per cent of the value of his loan. The association in turn subscribes an equal amount to the stock of the Federal Land Bank of its district.

Thus the system is a form of cooperative credit designed to give the borrowers a direct stake in the solvency of the land banks by making them part owners and eventually the only owners of the stock of the banks. In this way, and also by making each borrower through his local association responsible to a limited extent for losses from bad debts, the importance of sound and reasonably conservative lending standards is impressed upon the farm borrowers.

At the same time, the importance of sound lending policies has been emphasized by the fact that the banks obtain funds for carrying on their extensive operations by selling their own bonds directly to the public—obligations not guaranteed either as to principal or interest by the Government. Thus the system aims at the eventual establishment of a system of agricultural mortgage banks owned and controlled entirely by farmers and financed by private investors. While the attainment of this ideal remains in the future, it is quite possible of achievement if the banks are protected against political pressure to relax their standards.

An Analysis Of The President's Proposal

IT IS EASY to see, therefore, why the proposal to recapture the funds of lending agencies has caused alarm among those who have been managing the banks with such a hope in mind. With assets reported at $2,300,000,000, and outstanding bonds totalling only $1,743,000,000 at the end of December, 1939, it might seem that the banks could part with a considerable amount of capital without jeopardizing their soundness or impairing the value of their outstanding obligations.

However, it has to be kept in mind that the land banks have been advancing loans on the security of farm mortgages during a period when land values were shrinking catastrophically. Although these loans are limited to 50 per cent of the appraised value of land, plus only 20 per cent of the value of permanent improvements, and are written on an amortized basis, the banks have on the average recovered only 78 per cent of the value of investments in sales at foreclosure. In 1939, moreover, the percentage of delinquent loans amounted to 22 per cent of all loans.

Consequently, those in a position to know regard the Government's proprietary interest in the capital stock of the banks amounting to $125,000,000, and in paid-in surplus amounting to $187,875,000, as a most essential safeguard against probable losses. Furthermore, to retire Government-owned stock would transfer the burden of risk to the farm-borrowers who own stock in the banks. It would also be a serious blow to investor confidence—in fact a gross breach of faith—to weaken the security behind the unguaranteed bond issues of the Federal land banks which now sell on a yield basis comparable to that of United States bonds.

The Government would incur a moral responsibility to guarantee the payment of principal and interest of these bonds, if it withdrew capital from the banks. Whether or not it acknowledged that moral responsibility, it would have to guarantee future farm loan bond issues to maintain a good market for them.

(This is the first of two articles on this subject by Miss Youngman. The second will appear on this page Saturday.)

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

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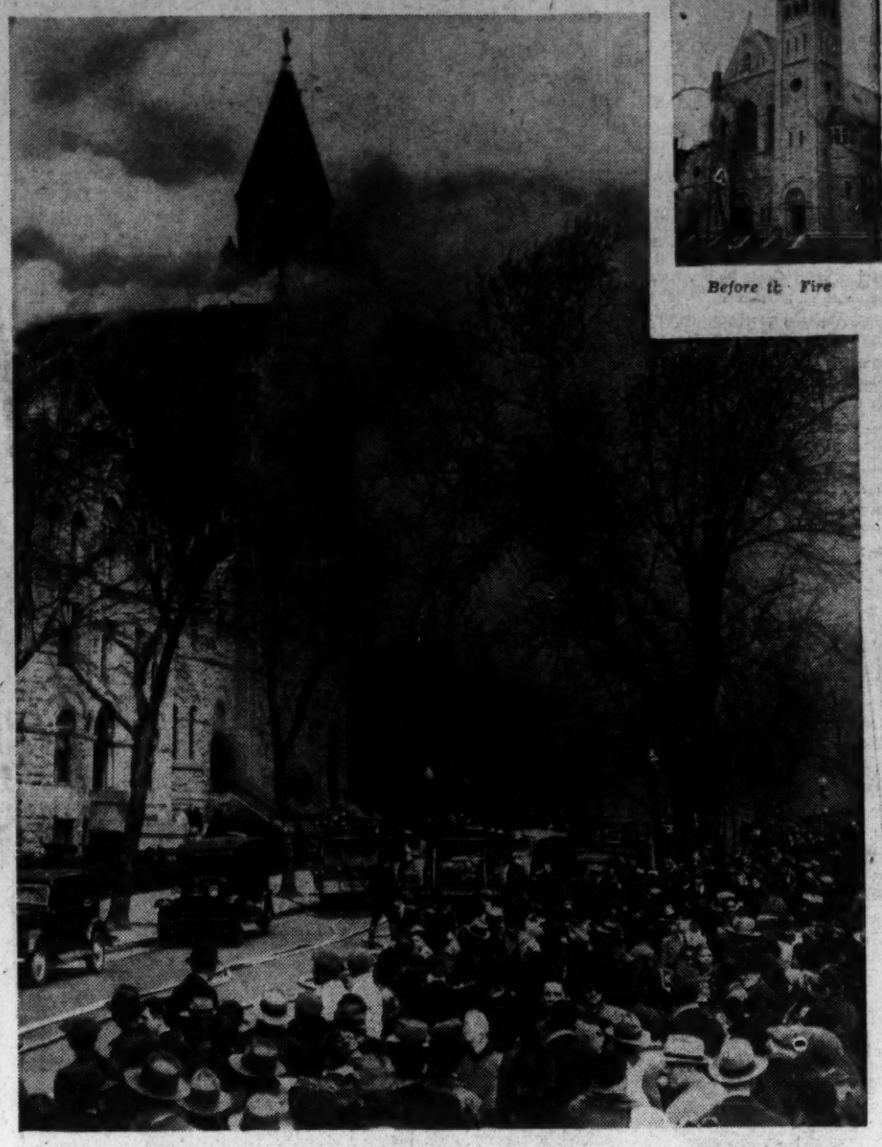
The Picture Story of Fire That Swept Historic St. Peter's

1. **A $50,000 BLAZE** yesterday swept St Peter's Church, Second and C street southeast, the second oldest Roman Catholic parish in Washington. Firemen sprayed water on the blazing roof from adjoining buildings. Five alarms were sounded and . . .

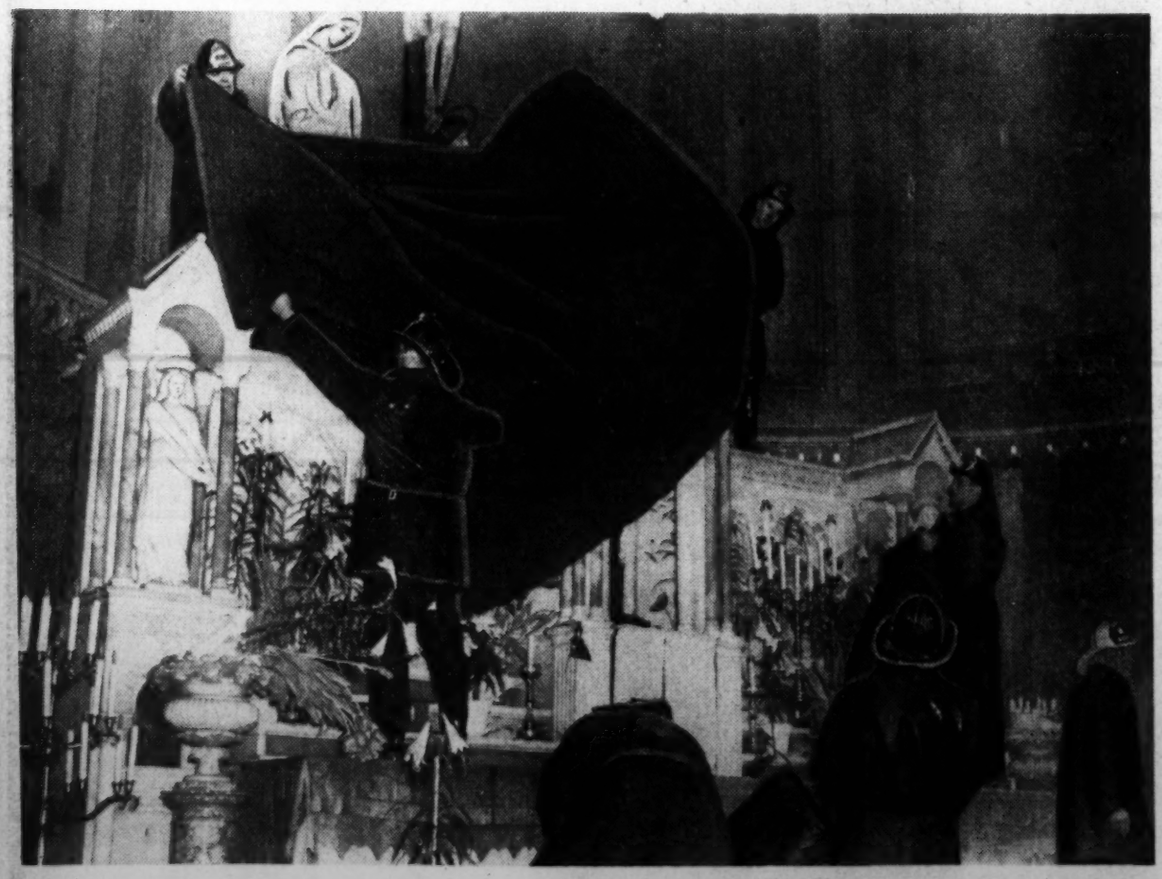
Before the Fire



2. **A LARGE CROWD** converged on the scene to watch the firemen battle to save the church building from destruction.

3. **THE RIGHT REV. MSGR. EUGENE J. CONNELLY,** pastor, watched from a window of the rectory as the firemen climbed extension ladders to take up a position near the steeple with high-pressure hose lines. He saw the roof collapse with a shower of slate and stone

4. **SISTER ELAINE** (left), Mother Superior of the convent, and Sister Una may have said a silent prayer as they saw the historic edifice in flames. Water, pouring through the roof, cascaded down the front steps and ran through a maze of hose to the street



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5. **EASTER LILIES** were brushed aside and trampled, but the altar was saved from damage when the firefighters spread a tarpaulin over it for protection. The Blessed Sacrament and other items of religious and intrinsic value were removed by priests when the fire started

Post Staff Photo—Rohland.

6. **THE ROOF WAS DESTROYED** and the interior badly damaged. The fifth alarm had been sounded at 10:50 o'clock and two hours later firemen still were playing water on the structure. Origin of the blaze was attributed to a blow torch being used on the roof by painters

Here Are the New Horizontally Styled Coiffures for Every Age

Over 20?

If so, here is your spring coiffure—not the long and high hair style of 1939 but a newer horizontally cut wave called the "polka coif," actually a modification of last year's bustle hairdress, only less extreme. It features a few curls at the nape of the neck and deep waves worn high off the forehead and brushed off the temples.

Over 30?

Then here is an excellent young matron's style. This calls for a shorter bob—an easy one to care for since it requires only an expert permanent as a basis and daily brushings for glossiness. Mr. Louis, national director of the American Hair Design Institute, feels great confidence in this style, for it gives piquancy to off-key features.

Over 40?

Then this would be a cleverly balanced coiffure for you. Every spring the question about bangs with spring bonnets crops up, and just as annually the bang dies a natural death. The newest departure, however, is the "demi-bang," half on the forehead, half off, created especially for the older woman by Mr. Louis.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Girl Becomes Anxious and Tearful After Questioning Aunt About 'Facts of Life;' How Reassure Her?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have a niece living with me: a girl in her teens, who has always been artless and carefree, taking life as it came, with all of its happiness and none of its problems. But realizing some months ago, apparently, that life isn't all one grand sweet song, she came to me with some questions that were bothering her—problems of sex and creation that she had studied in biology, but which had meant nothing to her at the time.

I, too, felt it was time for her to think these things through quite seriously, and so, to the best of my ability, I answered her questions. The knowledge thus imparted has distorted her outlook on life. She is depressed and unable to throw it off. She is afraid to treat young men naturally. She comes to me with her depressed ideas and cries over them. I try to advise her; to explain that "such is life," and that it is for her to accept the facts philosophically.

Is it wise for me to listen to her worries and fears and sympathize with her? Or should I laugh them off? I have heard that when a person is encouraged to bring imaginary fears to the front by talking about them, those fears become more real and harder to dismiss. Is such an attitude natural to the adolescent girl? Please advise me how to handle this problem. CONSTANT READER.

A Morbid Attitude, Signifying Immaturity

DEAR C. R.: This morbidly anxious preoccupation with the "problems of sex and creation" which your niece displays cannot be "laughed off." But, on the other hand, it should not be sympathetically coddled, in the sense of compassionately "entering into or sharing" her feelings on the subect. It is not "natural" for a teen-age girl to recoil with shock and fear from boys, as a result of intellectual acquaintanceship with the sexual facts of life.

The adolescent girl who takes this attitude is psychologically immature for her age. In order to help her achieve a robust adjustment to the phenomenon of human biology, one must bring her abreast of her years in total psychological development. In other words, one must recognize her fearsome reaction to sex as indicative of current general inadequacy for dealing with life's realities.

A specialist in the field of adolescent psychology, with whom I have discussed your questions, says this: "The teen-age boy or girl who is overwhelmed by fear and distress as a result of speculative consideration of sexual phenomena is already a morbid person. His depressed reaction to the so-called 'problem of sex' is profoundly symptomatic of basic anxieties which must be worked out if he is to achieve normalcy. The 'presenting-problem' merely brings into focus, in one small area of his life and personality, a latent sense of inadequacy toward all of life, that is crippling his whole personality."

"The real problem confronting this girl," he said, "is how to grow up, psychologically, to the extent that she can deal with all of life's realities with some degree of success. It is useless and somewhat beside the point," he continued, "to try, by logic or reason, to persuade her to accept the facts-of-sex philosophically, when the thing that is bothering her is fear, rather than sex."

It was humane and, no doubt, to some degree helpful of you to encourage your niece's confidences concerning her "depressed ideas." I disagree with that person who said that "imaginary fears become more real and harder to dismiss when brought to the front by confessional discussion." On the contrary, this is ofttimes a most effective means of getting rid of such phantoms. It is only when the listener gives credence to the narrator's fears that they become magnified or crystallized. But the listener who has the special knowledge to get at the roots of the false alarms can sometimes permanently weed them out of the sufferer's mind at a single sitting.

Since the precise nature of this girl's misgivings are not told in your letter, it is impossible for me to attempt to set her straight here. And since it is obvious that she would profit, in all ways, by one or more conferences with a specialist in adolescent psychology, I recommend such a program of self-help for her. M. H.

Twins Possess Added Reason To Look Good

But Mirror Also Offers Detached View Of Yourself

By Ida Jean Kain

IDENTICAL twins should be beautiful. When they look at each other, they are obliged to take a detached view of themselves and see themselves as others see them.

But for a fact, the records would seem to indicate that twins are extraordinarily attractive . . . not always pretty, but definitely better than average looking. Perhaps another explanation, besides that of the critical viewpoint, is the aura of limelight usually accorded twins. Being in the limelight is enough to make anyone take more pains with her looks. And sometimes that is all that is needed to turn the average looking woman into a menace.

Unbeautiful Twins

But the other day on Broadway, where you can see anything, I saw twins who upset these neat theories. I had to look at them twice before I found out why they didn't rate a second glance. Then I saw that: They had identically poor postures and figures. They were away too thin. Both were slumped. Both had rounded shoulders.

And everything else was wrong, too—from lifeless hair to the trick of pointing the toes outward when they walked. I could scarcely believe my eyes. I have always thought that if there were anything worse than being mediocre-looking, it would be to have a twin in the same fix.

In this instance, it was really inexcusable, because there was no physical reason why those girls couldn't have been beautiful! There was nothing wrong with their looks that could not have been overcome. As a matter of fact, most of the wrong things were their own fault!

Your Mirror Twin

Having a double to look at should be incentive enough to make any woman perk up. But maybe with the twins it was the same as it is with the woman in the mirror. We get so used to seeing our reflection that it doesn't make any impression.

If you could stand off and give your reflection a critical going-over, it would be easy to see all the things which do not seem to matter, but which, added up, make all the difference in the woman who is very attractive, and the one who is only passable.

Try to criticize the woman in the mirror as if she were a new neighbor. Study her as she stands, sits and walks. Does she hold her head beautifully? Does she poke her neck forward? Does she slump and let her figure sag? Is she too fat? Or too thin? Or is her figure out of proportion, with a scrawny chest and shoulders and a spready waistline?

Could you stand it if you had a twin who was your counterpart?

BALANCED SLIMMING MENU

BREAKFAST	CALORIES
Orange juice, ½ glass	55
Whole wheat toast, 2 thin slices	100
Butter, 1 pat, ¼ inch thick	50
Coffee, clear	..
	205
LUNCHEON	
Fried egg and bacon sandwich	275
Skim milk, 1 glass	80
Canned peach, ½	50
	405
DINNER	
Pork chop, I trim off all fat	200
Baked sweet potato, ½	100
String beans, liberal serving	30
Butter, 1 pat	50
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The Gentler Sex

By MALVINA LINDSAY

Best Dressed Women

This column herewith presents its annual selection of America's best-dressed women of the year in varying classifications.

SOCIETY—Mrs. Basil McK. Tweedle.

Because she was never photographed in sables posing with a Russian wolfhound; because she did not wear more than three bracelets at one time or any hard glittering jewels near her face; because she practiced esthetic restraint in her evening decollete and in her Palm Beach bathing suits; because she did not inevitably don a silver fox scarf when she poured tea; because she achieved chic simplicity without hardness or self-conscious sophistication.

MOVIES—Maisie Moonley.

Because in her personal appearances over the country she did not advertise her Hollywood connections by attending social events in slacks; because she did not make a fetish of going bareheaded on the street; because she did not pose for fashion photographs in spectacular, exotic creations that no other woman could possibly wear; because she did not go in intensively for plaids, and checks and stripes; because she did not have a long glamour bob.

PUBLIC LIFE—Mrs. DeCoursey Strong.

Because she never wore more than one corsage at a time; because she owned no sequin jacket, glittering scarf or beaded evening dress; because she belonged to 17 organizations without covering her bosom with pins and badges; because she did not wear several ropes of pearls in the daytime; because she eschewed big fur scarfs, feather headdresses and hats with the major domo touch; because she knew the importance of dark colors and straight lines.

SPORTS—Sadie Sailem.

Because she did not use her passion for tennis as a means of exhibiting her figure in play suits in hotel lobbies and other public places; because she did not drop in at teas, cocktail parties, etc., in riding knickers; because she did not wear shorts on golf courses; because she wore a brassiere under her sweater in business and in social life; because she used her bathing suit for swimming rather than sauntering; because she never mixed her sports attire with her dress-up wardrobe.

DEBUTANTE—Miss Eloise Elderdown.

Because her glamour bob was always freshly shampooed and curled and never greasy and stringy; because she did not always carry her hat in her hand; because she did not invariably appear in a slinky black dress, mammoth necklace and fur bolero; because she did not slouch in posture, or go in for dead pan make-up; because her evening dress wasn't too tight; because she did not desperately strive for sophistication in dress, but occasionally dared to look "sweet, simple and girlish."

BUSINESS—Regina Robot.

Because she did not always come to the office looking as if she were going on later to a cocktail party; because she occasionally gave the public a rest from "smart black dresses;" because she did not wear hard glittering clips or any overpowering costume jewelry; because she achieved softness as well as sleekness in her attire; because everything she wore did not shriek "successful career woman;" because she occasionally looked like somebody's country cousin.

NIGHT LIFE—Sonia Glyde.

Because she did not have an ermine coat; because she did not consider a long cigaret holder an integral part of her evening ensemble; because she did not go in for elaborate headdresses; because she did not enter the competition for epidermis display in evening attire; because she did strive to be exotic; because she did not have a train for dancers to step on; because she did not look like a comic opera edition of a harem inmate.

ALL-AMERICA—Miss Dorothy Doe.

Because her skirts came below her knees; because she did not try to make herself a composite of girls on magazine covers; because she never went in for Scarlett O'Hara evening dresses; because she did not wear freak hats because they were in style; because she occasionally wore a stocking with the seam twisted; because she could NOT put on a little $1.95 hat, a $6.95 dress and a $2.98 sandal and look just as good as a Park avenue clothes horse.

Jersey Swim Suit

To dress up her best silk jersey swim suit, Barbara Read wears a lei made of rubber! Hawaii was never like this!

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes

Gloria Blake Is Current Night Club Cinderella; Scores Broadway Hit

New York, March 27.

EVERY YEAR some very young wonder-girl pops out of nowhere and startles the folks around this town. Usually she has come up the hard way—perhaps after a series of honky-tonk appearances until Fate taps her on the alabaster shoulder "Baby, you're it." But this spring's Cinderella crashed all the rules by beginning at the top of the night world at the ripe old age of 17.

This pretty child's name is Gloria Blake, and when she went to high school over in Long Island City she studied typing. Only two years ago she turned over her voice to a teacher, and now look. Her professional discovered is a man named Maurice Duke, and not long ago he whisked her up to Montreal for a tryout at the famed Mount Royal Hotel at Montreal. She was supposed to do three numbers, but the crowd finally let her off with six. Duke knew he had something, and he whisked her right back to Manhattan.

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He wasted no time peddling her to the bush league night spots, but went right to Fefe Ferry, who runs the ultra-smart Monte Carlo, late rallying ground of "cafe society," visiting Hollywood people on parade and such shrinking hermits. Ferry signed at once, and this lovely, dark-haired novice has been the 1939-40 dream girl of the East Fifties. They built up a great entrance for the kid. The lights darken, a lovely soprano bursts into song behind the gray drapes, and as they part a spotlight picks up the white-clad figure of this young Blake. After doing an aria there, she comes down to the floor for a popular number.

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GIRL ABOUT TOWN—The alert young ladies of our surging city are preening again, for the dream prince of the young Rockefeller Scions is back in town, handsome and still maritally unattached. Winthrop is the best looking of the lads and still playing the field, though a fiendish rumor in Hollywood said he was "going steady" with a lass named Julia Brown Colt. The girl was finally identified out there as the pretty blonde who drove about that town in a golden motor car, wearing a golden dress—press-agenting the film, "Golden Boy." But Prince Winnie is safe (?) in New York, and the town girls are primping pretily . . .

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Martha Ellyn's Platter Chatter

Cuban Foods Are Presented in Unique Fashions

JELLY sold in boxes that can be cut in slices rather than spoon from a quivering mass as we do, is one of the Cuban food facts that Bob Pilgrim, known for his feature, "Food for Thought," published in the weekly magazine, The Family Circle, told of on a broadcast recently with Elinor Lee on Station WJSV, Columbia Broadcasting System.

Just returned from a cruise to Cuba, Mr. Pilbrim told also of the cherimoya, the Cuban custard apple, which he says looks like an alligator pear but tastes exactly like a delicious baked custard. He was also interested in the papaya, a fruit which resembles a melon growing on a tree. This fruit, he said, is orange in color, tastes something like honeydew melon with cheese worked into it, and called it "the food that eats beefsteak," meaning that the milky juice contains papain, a digestive enzyme that will tenderize a tough steak. He likes this fruit served on the half-shell as a salad, sprinkled with lime or lemon juice, but said that it was also very good when used in a fruit cup in combination with pineapple, guava and other tropical fruits, and thinks it also makes a very refreshing and beneficial beverage.

The Cubans also make ice cream from the coconut by mashing the pulp and freezing it. Lollipops of all colors and shapes are sold on the streets. Fruit venders sell ready-peeled oranges, carrying with them a miniature lathe which slowly removes the peeling from the fruit.

Learn Shorthand at Home

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Spring Ensembles Out As Weather Warms Up

Flowers on Hats Vie With Table Decorations at Parties; Mary Johnson Has Luncheon for Mme. Teodorescu

By Hope Ridings Miller

THOSE EASTER ENSEMBLES held in reserve for the first warm day of the season, were out full force yesterday at a couple of luncheons, where blossoms on spring bonnets vied in beauty with flowers used as table decorations. But at one party, Mme. Teodorescu, of Bucharest, sister of Eugen Teodorescu, of the Rumanian Legation, was far more interested in planning a visit to the Bureau of Home Economics than in observing new clothes or spring bouquets.

At the luncheon given for her by Miss Mary Johnson at the Mayflower Hotel, the attractive visitor and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace got together before the first course was served. Mme. Teordorescu is a bacteriologist; so a trip through the Home Economics Bureau is a "must" on her Washington visiting list. Mrs. Wallace is going to see that she gets there. It was all arranged yesterday.

PETITE AND PRETTY. Mme. Teodorescu is also an accomplished conversationalist. She speaks perfect English, has a wide range of interests, and frankly admits she will discuss anything "except politics and my age."

Mme. Teodorescu expects to remain in Washington until the middle of next month, when she will return to Rumania. Those who met her at yesterday's luncheon, in addition to Mrs. Wallace, were Mrs. William O. Douglas, Mrs. Henry F. Grady, Mrs. Thurman Arnold, Mrs. Warren Lee Pierson, Mme. Coste, whose husband is on the staff of the Rumanian Legation; Miss Ruth Jones, Mrs. Robert Sherrod and Mrs. Bulkley Griffin.

Meanwhile, a much larger luncheon was under way at the Congressional Club, where Mrs. Robert L. Doughton and Mrs. Finis Garrett entertained more than 50 guests. Low bowls of spring blossoms, decorated the U shaped table, arranged in the upstairs reception room. Mrs. Doughton, who, with Mrs. Garrett, received downstairs, was smartly attired in a navy blue frock cut on tailored lines and trimmed with white. A matching hat, set off with a natty bouquet on the front of the crown and a shoulder corsage of gardenias completed her costume. Mrs. Garrett's woods-brown frock was worn with a sable neckpiece and a brown hat.

THE CONGRESSIONAL CONTINGENT was well represented in the gathering. Guests from the Senate circle included Mrs. James F. Byrnes, Mrs. John H. Overton, Mrs. Edward Burke, Mrs. Guy M. Gillette and Mrs. Ernest Lundeen. Representatives' wives present were Mrs. Otis Bland, Mrs. Clarence Lea, Mrs. Frank Crowther, Mrs. Daniel A. Reed, Mrs. Roy O. Woodruff, Mrs. H. P. Fulmer Mrs. John E. Rankin, Mrs. Frank Hancock, Mrs. Robert F. Rich, Mrs. Paul H. Maloney and Mrs. Ewing Thomason.

Others there from the Congressional set were Mrs. Joseph Byrns, jr., Mrs. Samuel Wilder King, Mrs. Frank W. Boykin, Mrs. Carl Stefan and Mrs. Charles F. McLaughlin, who arrived with her house guest, Mrs. Sanford Gifford, of Chicago. Mrs. McLaughlin and Mrs. Gifford will leave within a few days for visits in Williamsburg, Va., and Charleston, S. C.

Still others at the luncheon were Mrs. Justin Miller, Mrs. Fred Vinson, Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, Mrs. J. Monroe Johnson, Mrs. Harllee Branch, Mrs. Joseph Byrns, sr., who is spending sometime here at the Mayflower; Mrs. Thomas A. Wadden and her mother, Mrs. Edward Pou; Mrs. George Tribble, Mrs. John J. Darby, Mrs. Harry Hawes, Mrs. Garland Ferguson, Mrs. Edward Stitt, Mrs. Allard H. Gasque, Mrs. Robert N. Page and several others.

ON THE CALENDAR: Mrs. Charles J. Brand will entertain at a small tea this afternoon for some of the friends of Mrs. Alexander Dye, wife of the commercial attache of the United States Embassy at London. Mrs. Dye recently returned to this country for an extended visit, and has been widely feted since her arrival in Washington. The party for her this afternoon will take place in Mrs. Brand's apartment at 1661 Crescent Place, from 4 to 6 p. m.

Plan Benefit Fashion Luncheon

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Mrs. Robert Grosjean serves tea to Mrs. Albert Fox at her home, where yesterday afternoon plans were made for the Fashion Show which will be held at the Shoreham on April 18, for the benefit of the Health Security Administration. Mrs. Grosjean is chairman of the committee and Mrs. Fox will be one of the models in the show

Notes of Society

Official and Residential

Mme de Espil, wife of the Argentine Ambassador, has cards out for a luncheon on Tuesday, April 9.

Mme Ertegun, wife of the Turkish Ambassador, will be guest of honor at a luncheon to be given today by Mme Ulises Espaillat.

Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone will entertain at luncheon on Thursday, April 4.

Senator H. Styles Bridges will be guest of honor at a cocktail party to be given on Sunday, April 7, by Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Bargeron.

Representative and Mrs. Robert L. Doughton have as their guests at the Wardman Park, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doughton, of Statesville, N. C.

The Commandant of the Coast Guard and Mrs. Russell R. Waesche and the Engineering Chief of the Coast Guard and Mrs. Harvey S. Johnson will be honored by the Coast Guard Warrant Officers at their ninth annual spring dance on Saturday in the west ballroom of the Shoreham.

Mrs. R. H. Dunlap is at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in New York.

Mrs. and Mrs. Walter Edge and their family are at the Ambassador Hotel in New York.

Mrs. Dorothy Lee Ward, who has been visiting Senator and Mrs. Claude Pepper, has returned to her home in Miami. Later in the season she will come back to Washington and open her residence on Massachusetts avenue.

Col. and Mrs. Thomas E. Watson will give a dinner dance tomorrow at the Army and Navy Club.

Mrs. O. W. McNeese has resumed her Friday morning lectures at Hotel Twenty-four Hundred. Her guest speaker this week will be Col. Per Zilliacus, Military Attache of the Finnish Legation.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Davis are at the Waldorf Astoria in New York.

Byron Shaw, of Silver Spring, Md., a senior at the University of Maryland, is on an extended automobile tour of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Fistere will leave today for two weeks at the Flamingo Hotel, in Miami Beach.

Miss Jane Clarkson Baker, a senior at Sweet Briar, has returned for spring vacation and has with her Miss Hazel Strerrett, of Hot Springs, Va., and Miss Decca Gilmer, of Charlottiesville, Va., also students at Sweet Briar. Miss Baker will give a bridge luncheon today for her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Becker are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a son, on March 24 at Doctors Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen V. DeFord and Judge and Mrs. Milton Strasburger are spending two weeks in Miami.

Miss Elsie Doyle, daughter of Commander and Mrs. W. E. Doyle, is spending her Easter vacation in Norfolk as the guest of Miss Mary Edel, daughter of Commander Edel.

The Misses Leonie and Johanna Van Nierop have been joined at the Wardman Park by their brother, H. Van Nierop, of Amsterdam, Holland, who will spend the holidays with them.

Nicaraguan Envoy Entertains Costa Rican President-Elect

Sr. and Sra. de Calderon Guardia Are Honor Guests at Carlton Dinner Given by Minister and Sra. de De Bayle

The Minister of Nicaragua and Senora de De Bayle gave a dinner last night at the Carlton for the President-elect of Costa Rica and Senora de Calderon Guardia, who have averaged many parties since their arrival here to call on President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

The guests were the Ambassador of Peru, Manuel de Freyre y Santander; the Mexican envoy, Dr. Francisco Castillo Najera; the Ecuadorean Ambassador and Senora de Alfaro, the Brazilian Ambassador and Senhora de Martins, the Ambassador of Venezuela and Senora de Escalante, the Chilean envoy and Senora de Cabero, the Ambassador of Colombia, Dr. Gabriel Turbay; the Ambassador of Panama and Senora de Boyd, the Minister of Gautemala and Senora de Recinos, the Minister of Uruguay, J. Richling, and the Minister of El Salvador and Senora de Castro.

Also the Dominican Minister and Senora de Pastoriza, the Costa Rican envoy and Senora de Castro Beeche, the Bolivian Minister and Senora de Guachalla, the Minister of Haiti and Mme. Lescot, the Minister of Honduras and Senora de Caceres, the Minister of Paraguay and Senora de Fernandez, the Minister Counselor of the Cuban Embassy and Senora de Baron, Senorita Lillian Somoza, daughter of the President of Nicaragua, and Senorita Rosie Castro.

Another Party Held For Sra. de Guardia

The State Department was represented by the Chief of the Division of American Republics and Mrs. Laurence Duggan, George T. Summerlin, chief of protocol, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald A. Drew.

Members of Dr. Calderon Guardia's official party attending the dinner were Jorge Hine, Alfredo Volio, Luis Demetrio Tinoco, jr., Senora de Tinco and Victor Manual Yglesias.

Another of the parties for Senora de Guardia was held yesterday at the Shoreham, when Senora de Castro-Beeche, entertained at lucheon for her.

The guests included Senora de Espil, Senora de Alfredo, Senora de Boyd, Senora de Escalante, Senora de Recinos, Senora de Castro, Senora de De Bayle, Senora de Gauchalla, Senora de Fernandez, Senora de Pastoriza, Senora de Caceres, Senora Tinoco Castro, Senora Luis Tinoco, and Senora Victor Yglesias.

Hull Among Luncheon Guests

Also Mrs. Lawrence Duggan, Mrs. Gerald Drew, Mrs. Arthur Harris, Mrs. Livingston Fatherthwaite, Mrs. Joan Carter, Mrs. Roy Pascal Davies and Miss Roste Castro.

While Senora de Guardia was being entertained, her husband was honored at a luncheon given by the governing board of the Pan American Union. The luncheon was held in the Gallery of Heroes of the Pan American Union Building.

The Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, who is also chairman of the governing board, was among the guests, who included South American envoys, members of the President-elect's party and officials of the Pan American Union, headed by the Director General, Dr. L. S. Rowe.

Mary de Sibour To Return as Singer

Mary (Mrs. Henry) de Sibour, talented songstress, who is also a prominent member of the younger married set here, will open a limited engagement at the Pall Mall Room at the Raleigh beginning Monday.

Mrs. de Sibour appeared at the Pall Mall Room last year for several weeks and drew many with her sweet voice and pretty face.

Finnish Envoy To Meet Fiancee At Dock Today

Miss Margaret Shaw, finance of the Minister of Finland, Hjalmar J. Procope, will arrive in New York today aboard the Conte di Savoia. She will be met at the dock by the minister, who has been in New York for several days.

Miss Shaw's engagement was announced recently by her mother, Mrs. James Edward Shaw, of Burn Hall, Sutton-on-the-Forest, Yorkshire, England. The future bride has visited in Washington before. The date for the marriage has not been announced.

Count de Limur At Jekyll Club

Among recent arrivals at the Jekyll Island Club in Georgia are Count and Countess de Limur, who have joined Mrs. William W. Crocker. Mlle. Helen Marie de Limur is there also, as are Col. and Mrs. Reginald Huidekoper, Peter Huidekoper, Mrs. Richard T. Crane, jr., and Mrs. Francis Randolph.

Today the annual golf team match between Jekyll Island and the cloister of Sea Island for the Golden Isles of Georgia Cup will be played over the Sea Island course. Robert A. Gardner, jr., is captain of the Jekyll Island team.

Gay Tea Given By Mrs. Martin

Mrs. Benjamin Yancey Martin entertained at a gay tea yesterday afternoon in her apartment at the Westchester.

The hostess wore a grape-colored floor-length gown with long sleeves and high neck and a corsage of gardenias.

Presiding at the tea table, which was centered with calla lillies and purple iris in a silver bowl, were Mrs. Hugo L. Black, Mrs. Lister Hill and Mrs. George Grant. Also assisting were Mrs. Clarence O. McKay, Mrs. Henry Van Arsdale, Miss Annie Dowling, Miss Gussie Dowling, and Mrs. Martin's niece and Miss Elizabeth Barnard.

Among the guests were Senora de Munilla, Mrs. Onan A. Hydrick, Mrs. James Craig Peacock, Mrs. J. Clinton Tribby, Mrs. Justin Macklin, Mrs. Edgar Kay, Mrs. Thomas H. Seay, Mrs. Walter G. Layman, Mrs. Wyndham R. Wills, Mrs. Leslie Frasier and Mrs. G. W. S. Musgrove.

Margaret Noland To Be Wed Same Day as Sister

Mr. and Mrs. James William Noland, of Warrenton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Noland, to Stuart Archer Smith, of Fredericksburg, Va.

The wedding will take place Saturday, April 13, in St. John's Church, Fredericksburg, in a double ceremony, when Mr. Smith's sister, Miss Margaret Smith, will be married to John Doley, of Newport News, Va. A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith will follow.

Mr. Smith is a graduate of V. M. I.

Mary Largent Has Tea For New York Visitor

Miss Mary Largent entertained at tea yesterday for Miss Jean Gray, of New York, who has been visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. English.

The guests included the Misses Nancy Derby, Mildred Stewart, Dorothy and Margaret Freyeisen, Irene Higgins and Gloria Largent.

Party to Honor Dr. Kindler

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe have issued invitations to a large dinner in honor of Dr. Hans Kindler, conductor of the National Symphony Orchestra, Wednesday, April 15, at the Mayflower.

After the dinner, the board of directors of the National Symphony Orchestra Association and Mr. and Mrs. Howe will hold a reception in honor of Dr. Kindler. Invitations to the reception will be sent out within the next few days, and will include many prominent musicians, composers, artists and music lovers. Dr. Kindler has been director of the orchestra for nine years.

Richard Graham and Bride To Live in New Arlington Home

Former Mildred Hull and Husband Are on Honeymoon Trip to Florida; House Was Completed Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Philip Graham, who were married on Saturday, will move into their recently-completed home at 6221 Twenty-third street in nearby Arlington on their return from a honeymoon in Florida.

The bride is the former Miss Mildred Gladys Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clifton Hull, of North Powhatan street, Arlington, and Mr. Graham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Russell Graham, of East Falls Church. The wedding took place at the Hull home, the Rev. William S. Abernethy, of Calvary Baptist Church, officiating before an improvised altar of garden flowers flanked by tall ferns and palms.

Mr. Hull gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a powder blue crepe dress and a matching three-cornered hat trimmed with blue velvet flowers and a brief veil with pink dots. Her corsage was of orchids and lillies of the valley.

Miss Marguerite Louise Hull, the bride's sister, was maid of honor, wearing beige rose crepe cress and a black hat trimmed with rose colored flowers and a veil. A corsage of pink roses completed her costume.

William Russell Graham, jr., was best man for his brother. A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hull followed the ceremony.

First of Spring Dances Held At F St. Club

Mr. and Mrs. Exnicios And Mrs. W. T. Mann Entertain Before Party

With that long-delayed hint of spring in the air, the first in the series of this season's dances at the 1925 F street club got off to a fine start last evening. The usual number of cocktail parties flourished before the supper dance.

Gathering in a handful of guests for drinks were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Exnicios and Mrs. William T. Mann. Many of the guests dropped in at both places before continuing on to the dance. They included Mr. and Mrs. Jouett Shouse, Col. and Mrs. Joseph Cecil, Mrs Rose Merriam, Mr. and Mrs. William McCracken, Miss Stellita Stapleton, Christopher Bramwell, Mr. and Mrs. John Caswell, Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell, Andrew Wylie, Ralph Hill and Commander William Thomas.

With the weather taking such a sudden turn for the better, devotees of the spring dances are hoping to hold the remaining three in the garden of the club. Also entertaining at small cocktail parties before last night's party were Mrs. G. Howland Chase and Mrs. and Mrs. Kenneth Watson.

Just to mention a few attending the ever-popular dance there were Dr. and Mrs. Pete Moran, Jimmie Parks, Wolcott Waggaman, Miss Bambie McKenna, Sherry McAdam, William Mitchell and Will Ryan.

Dartmouth Patrons Listed

Mrs. Roosevelt and Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes head the patrons for the concert and dance to be held Saturday evening at 8:30 at the Washington Hotel by the Dartmouth College Glee Club and the Barbary Coast Orchestra, also from Dartmouth.

The singers will present the famous "Hanover Winter Song," "Dartmouth Undying" and a group of Richard Hovey's poems set to music. Songs in a lighter vein will include Fred Waring's arrangement of "The Night Is Young" and several negro spirituals.

Other patronesses for the function include Mrs. Arthur H. Vandenburg, Mrs. Charles W. Tobey, Mrs. Edwin A. Halsey, Mrs. Wellington F. Barto, Mrs. Walter A. Bloedorn, Mrs. Calvert Bowie, Mrs. Robert B. Carney, Mrs. Elizabeth Cole, Mrs. Merton A. English, Mrs. Harry L. Grant, Mrs. Fletcher Hale, Mrs. John C. Harding, Mrs. Robert C. Hibben, Mrs. Robert T. Highfield, Mrs. Herman H. Hill, Mrs. Bynum E. Hinton, Mrs. Hilleary G. Hoskinson, Mrs. John H. Jouett, Mrs. Victor V. Kelsie, Mrs. Warren C. Kendall, Mrs. Helen Kiernan-Vasa and Mrs. Raymond W. King.

Also Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, Mrs. Cazenove G. Lee, Mrs. George Maurice Morris, Mrs. Ann Margaret Nye, Mrs. George Rublee, Mrs. Harry H. Semmes, Mrs. William H. Shelton, Mrs. Frank Slingluff, Mrs. Berkeley L. Simmons, Mrs. Edward Stafford, Mrs. Frank C. Squire, Mrs. William G. Stuart, Mrs. Mark Sullivan, Mrs. Ralph A. Van Orsdel, Mrs. Lloyd B. Wilson, Mrs. Luke I. Wilson, Mrs. F. Sterling Wilson and Mrs. William B. Willard.

Flora M. Kuenzel Becomes Bride Of Robert A. Hitch

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav L. Kunzel, of Holyoke, Mass., announce the marriage of their daughter, Flora Marguerite, to Robert A. Hitch, on February 25. The couple, now on their honeymoon trip, will make their home in Philadelphia after April 1. Mr. Hitch is the son of Maj. Edgar T. Hitch, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Minna Hitch, of Washington.

The bride is a graduate of Holyoke High School, Bay Path Business Institute, of Springfield, Mass., and the New Rochelle Hospital school of nursing. Prior to her marriage she served with the Army Nurse Corps, and has been stationed in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Mr. Hitch is a graduate of the University of Maryland engineering school and George Washington University law school. He is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha, Gamma Eta Gamma and Omicron Delta Kappa fraternities, and he is a Reserve officer in the United States Army Engineering Corps. At present he is employed as an attorney with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Mrs. V. H. Brewster Hostess at Tea

Mrs. Vernon Harcourt Brewster entertained at tea yesterday afternoon at her home in Sligo Park Hills, Md., for her aunt, Mrs. James Henry Foster, of Cleveland, Ohio, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Wharton, of Washington, mother of the hostess. Miss Catherine Burkit, of Detroit, Mich., who has been the house guest of Mrs. Brewster over Easter, also was an honor guest.

Mrs. Wharton, Mrs. Milford Zimmerman, of Hillandale, Md.; Mrs. Dean R. Brundage, of Arlington, Va., and Mrs. Ralph Russell, of Kensington, alternated in pouring.

About the Town with DUDLEY HARMON

Mrs. George Garrett and Daughter Motor To Middleburg for Tag End of the Hunt Season

LINES INSPIRED by the campaign of Representative John Taber to determine whether Leopold Stokowski is a Communist and if his forthcoming musical tour of South America is being financed by the government of some foreign power or by Walt Disney:

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With Walt Disney's mice
They garner headlines nice
To grace the scrapbooks of a Tory.

Stokowski sizzles on the pan
With Collective Farms, the Five Year Plan,
And the Marxist point of view.
Garbo might have found him thrilling.
But if he's been condemned by Dilling,
Surely, then, he must be through.

Are the famous maestro's morals
On a par with Bach's pure chorals?
Mr. Taber wants to learn.
Does Stalin foot the bills, or Mickey?
For whether music deep or "icky"
It mustn't take a pinkish turn.

Mrs. George Garrett and her debutante daughter, Miss Elaine Darlington, motored down to Middleburg yesterday to get in as much hunting as possible before the season ends in a few days. They will return this evening or tomorrow. Miss Darlington is home from school for the Easter holidays. She will make her debut at a party to be given on Long Island in June by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Livingston Clarkson, of New York.

Another debutante of the coming season, Miss Sita Finkenstaedt, will return tomorrow with her mother, Mrs. Edward Finkenstaedt. They have been in Hot Springs, Va., where they went for Easter. Miss Finkenstaedt also is still in school.

THE DAYS before the wedding a week from Saturday of Miss Elise Hill and Alexander Phillips will be crammed with parties. Miss Sylvia Alexander will give a dinner for the couple on Wednesday and the next night Clarence Hewes will be host in their honor. The following evening, after the rehearsal, Mrs. Phillips H. Clarke will give a party for her sister and her fiance. Mrs. Clarke is the former Miss Suzanne Hill.

After their marriage, the young people will honeymoon in Charleston, S. C. They met in Newport last summer. Miss Hill is the daughter of Mrs. Hiram Bingham and Gen. John Philip Hill.

MRS. EDWIN WATSON has played with many notables, among them Queen Elizabeth of the Belgians. But not many people know that she once performed with Einstein, who plays the violin. "And very well, too," says pianist Frances Nash (Mrs. Watson), who will be soloist with the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra next Tuesday.

After two weeks in New York Mrs. George Grant Mason has gone to Nassau with her two little boys. She will return next week.

The Hunt Country

By Nina Carter Tabb

Point-to-Point Races Saturday Chief Topic of Conversations

THE POINT-TO-POINT races of the Piedmont and neighboring hunts to be held on Saturday are the chief topic of conversation in the hunt country this week, as many people enter horses for the event. They will take place over a flag-marked course of about 5½ miles at Rokeby, property of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mellon near Upperville.

Beginning at 2 o'clock, there will be three races. First is one for ladies, side saddle or astride, minumum weight, 145 pounds, riders not to be restricted to owners or members of their immediate families. A piece of plate to be presented to the owner of the winner.

SECOND RACE, heavyweight for men, weight, 200 pounds; riders to be the owner or member of his immediate family. A piece of plate to be presented to the owner of the winn .

Third race, for the Rokeby Challenge Bowl, is for men, weight, 175 pounds, riders to be regular followers of a recognized hunt, acceptable to committee. The Rokeby Bowl, to be presented to the owner of the winner, is to be held for one year, and he will also receive a piece of plate outright. The bowl may be kept outright if won three times, not necessarily consecutively and not necessarily with the same horse. Further rules and conditions for the races may be obtained from Mrs. Earl Dawson, assistant secretary, Middleburg.

DR. A. C. RANDOLPH, M. F. H., is chairman of the committee, members of which are D. C. Sands, M. F. H.; J. T. Skinner, secretary; Ribert Fletcher, William G. Fletcher and Paul Mellon.

Secretary Skinner is pleased with the number of entries already in for events, and Saturday promises to be full of sport.

Entries in the ladies' race include Miss Nancy Hanna's Gone Away; Miss Mary Maxwell's Ability, Lady Slipaway and The Banshee; Mrs. John E. Hughes' Field Glass, Robert Riticor's Brown Haze, Mrs. Robert C. Winmill's "Little Duchess, Freddy Warburg's Valor King and Thomas T. Mott's Dorette.

IN THE SECOND RACE are entered T. Beatty Brown's Comedienne, Stephen Clark's Reg, Mackay Smith's Bayard, Thomas T. Mott's Leap Year, and Mackay Smith's Flight Brigade.

Competing for the Rokeby Bowl will be Amory Lawrence' Rack a Rock, Harry Worcester Smith's Scarlett, Henry Frost's Mountain Meadow, Duncan Read's Clifton Gem, Gerry Webb's Longitude, Fraddy Warburg's Valor King, Arthur White's Hold Forth, Raymond Tartiere's Gadwall, Thomas T. Mott's Port Law and Brumanna and Mackay Smith's Flight Brigade.

The lovely turf course is in great condition for galloping and numbers of post entries are expected to come in at the last minute.

COL. AND MRS. John C. Butler have been entertaining a large house party at their home, Kelvedon Farm, near Rectortown. Their guests include his mother, Mrs. George Butler, of New York; his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vezin, of Litchfield, Conn., and their daughter, Miss Maria Vezin; Mrs. Butler's niece, Miss Priscilla Macy, of Southport, Conn., and Miss Ann Bayly, of Purcellville, Va.

At a dinner given by the Butlers for their house party the guests included Miss Isabel McDuffie, of Grafton, Mass.; Dulany Randolph, Harry Worcester Smith and Henry Skinker. Miss McDuffie is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Crompton Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood Vermillion, of Washington, and their young daughter, Josephine, are visiting her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. David Campbell Mayers, at their home in Middleburg.

Recent visitors to the hunt country include Maj. and Mrs. P. B. Rogers, of Front Royal; their daughter, Miss Blair Rogers, and Maj. and Mrs. E. H. de Sausure. Also Moncure N. Lyon, jr., of Red Bank, N. J., who is visiting his parents. The Misses Fanny and Mary Owen Lyon have just returned from a visit to St. Sauveur, Canada, where they enjoyed the skiing.

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Percy Grainger, Wife Feted by Arts Club

Reception Held at Historic Clubhouse Following Pianist's Appearance as Soloist With National Symphony Orchestra

By Jessie Ash Arndt

The Post Club Editor

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Grainger were guests of honor at a reception given last night by the Arts Club at its historic clubhouse, 2017 I street, following the concert of the National Symphony Orchestra with which Mr. Grainger, pianist and composer, appeared as guest soloist.

More than 100 members of the club and guests attended, most of them coming directly fro mthe concert at Constitution Hall.

Most of the company had assembled when Mr. and Mrs. Grainger arrived with Dr. Hans Kindler, conductor of the orchestra; Mrs. Kindler and Dr. H. Emile Enthoven, of The Hague.

Dr. Enthoven had come from New York especially to hear the National Symphony and Mr. Grainger play under Dr. Kindler's baton. He has been in this country for the past two months and being both a noted historian and a distinguished composer is combining a series of lectures on the position of the Netherlands in the present crisis, with observations on music in America.

He joined the receiving line with Mr. and Mrs. Grainger, Dr. and Mrs. Kindler and the hosts from the club.

Mrs. Grainger, who is both an artist and a poet, was much interested in the paintings on the walls of the clubhouse gallery where they received. A book of her poems, "The Pavement Artist," was published last summer by Hutchinson in London, and she is now working on a second book for which she is doing the illustrations. This will be published in America but she has not yet decided on the title.

Last night she wore a black print gown with red predominating in the design and over it a net jacket, dotted with rhinestones and made with a ruff at the neck. Her fair hair, which is almost the color of her husband's, was held away from her face with small combs at the side and worn low in the back. She and Mr. Grainger will remain in the Capital over the week-end.

Mrs. Kindler wore a green satin gown, made on classic lines.

Receiving with the guests of honor were Frank B. Steele, president of the club; Mrs. Steele, Miss Mary Cryder, who was in charge of arrangements for the reception, and Mrs. Robert W. Mess, chairman of the music committee of the club.

A buffet supper was served in the dining room, where a centerpiece of spring flowers with jonquils predominating was arranged in a large silver bowl on the buffet table.

Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Norman Anderson, chairman of the hostess committee; Mrs. Ralph Richards, Mrs. Robert LeFevre, Miss Priska Kaspar, Miss Agnes Winn, Miss Jeanne Richards and Mrs. Nina Allender.

The men's committee of aides included John Harold Long, William J. McManus, Norman Anderson and Charles H. Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss were among the guests, as were Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland Hill, Mrs. Tracy Dows, Miss Mary Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Miss Mary B. Adams, Mrs. Charles Lea, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe, Miss Mabel Boardman, Robert H. Dunlap, Dr. and Mrs. William McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Milton King, Col. and Mrs. C. C. Schiffeler, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Droop, Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Dillard Gunn, Thomas Drake, the Rev. Meade Molton MacBryde, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brooks.

Among other guests were Paul Murphy, Mrs. Fannie Amstutz Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Erbin Thomas, Miss Sade Styron, Mrs. Howard Blandy, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heinl and Mrs. Ruth Jemison.

Still others among the guests were Mrs. Eugene Vail, of Paris, widow of the noted artist; Miss Lena Hitchcock, Miss Blanche Blokinhorn, Mrs. Boyld Taylor, Miss Marguerite Merigold, Miss Anne Singleton, Miss Anne Darlington, Mrs. Walter R. Ruckerman, Miss Anne Touhy.

Columbian Women Plan Authors' Fete

The Columbian Women of George Washington University will have authors as their honor guests at their banquet at the Sulgrave Club, 1801 Massachusetts avenue northwest, Thursday, April 4.

The program has been arranged under the direction of Mrs. Tomas Cajigas. Miss Alice Hutchins Drake, Miss Elizabeth Benson and the president of the club, Miss Margaret Pepper.

The speakers will be Mrs. Randolph Blinn, who writes under the name of Ethel Hueston, better known as "the woman who has written a million books." Mrs. Blinn will give a short review of her latest book, "Uncle Lancy for President," which is just off the press.

Mrs. Henry F. Grady, wife of the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, will speak on "Spanish Influence in California," and Miss Mary Mason, better known in radio as "Cousin Mary Mason," will speak on "Radio Behind the Scenes."

The honor guests will be Annabelle Ward, whose latest book, "Guatemala," also is just out, and Madame Munilla, wife of the military attache of the Cuban embassy. Among others who will attend will be Mrs. Cloyd Heck Marvin, Mrs. Robert Fleming, Mrs. Joshua Evans and Mrs. Charles Stanley White.

Music will be furnished by The Hawaiian Guitar Trio, through the courtesy of Papas Studio, and the musicians will appear in costume. Mrs. Marvin will sing a group of spring songs, and will be accompanied by Dorothy Radde Emery.

The banquet committee will meet at the home of Mrs. Cajigas, 1834 Sixteenth street northwest, on Monday evening, April 1, at 8 o'clock.

Second Anniversary Party Set Tomorrow

Mei Ling Girl Reserve Club members with Miss Mabel Cook, director of the Girl Reserve Department of the Y. W. C. A., planning their club's birthday party tomorrow night, are Alice Lee (left), first secretary-treasurer and Mary Lee, first president. There are 12 Chinese girls in the club

Underwood & Underwood

Chevy Chase Unit Marks Club's Jubilee

The Woman's Club of Chevy Chase yesterday afternoon celebrated the golden jubilee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs with a tea at the clubhouse, given by the executive board.

Nearly 500 members and guests attended the affair, a feature of which was the cutting of the birthday cake in tribute to the General Federation by Mrs. Millard E. Tydings, wife of Senator Tydings, who was guest of honor.

Officers of the club, headed by Mrs. Frederick M. Kerby, the president, received with Mrs. Tydings. Also receiving were Mrs. Joseph A. Burkart, at whose home the first meeting of the club was held, and the past presidents.

The officers included, besides Mrs. Kerby, Mrs. Henry DeC. Adams, first vice president; Mrs. Arthur T. Davenport, second vice president; Mrs. Philip Gott, recording secretary; Mrs. F. C. Brackett, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Louis Murphy, treasurer, and Mrs. Roy Jorolomen, assistant treasurer. The past presidents who were there included Mrs. H. S. Paine, Mrs. Thomas E. Robertson, Mrs. Eugene E. Stevens, sr., Mrs. Alexander Ashley, Mrs. R. Harvey Sargent, Mrs. Karl Fenning and Mrs. Frank M. Hoadley.

Section and committee chairmen presided at the long tea table arranged down the center of the auditorium, with the large cake as a centerpiece and hand-wrought silver bowls of jonquils as decorations.

The musical program was opened by Chinese selections by Miss Ida Hoyt Chamberlain, pianist and composer, who appeared in costume. Her numbers were followed by piano solos by James Winship Lewis, of Baltimore; songs by Mrs. James Lee Oliver, soprano, accompanied by Miss Helen Grimes, and Hawaiian selections by a trio from the Papas studios. The program closed with dances by a group under the direction of Erika Thimey.

St. Martin's Sodality to Give Card Party April 12

Arrangements are well under way for the annual card party and dance sponsored by the Sodality of St. Martin's Church, which will be held Friday, April 12, in the main ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel.

The Rev. Louis Miltenberger, spiritual director of the Sodality, is honorary chairman of arrangements, with Mrs. Thomas L. Bigham, general chairman, and the Misses M. Catherine Dorsch and Helen V. Dolan acting as secretaries.

Other members of the committee include Miss Miriam C. McCarty, financial secretary; Miss Mary E. Nalley, tickets; Mrs. Richard C. Carter, patrons and patronesses; Miss Emily Stone, prizes; Miss Helen F. Kelly, reception; Mrs. Walter I. Plant, seating for cards; Miss Rita M. Owings, dance; Miss Agnes F. Bayer, cards and tallies; Mr. H. K. Murphy, door; Mrs. R. J. Schaaf, decorations; Mrs. N. E. Bombard, badges; Mr. Fred L. Bach, floor, and Miss Mary A. O'Connor, publicity.

Women's DemocraticClub Hears Gillette Tonight

Senator Guy M. Gillette, of Iowa, will address the Woman's National Democratic Club at a dinner meeting tonight at 7:30 His subject will be "The Pro and Con of the Farm Credit Administration Controversy: Should the Administration be a Separate Agency?"

The club's schedule for this week also includes a tea to be given Saturday afternoon for the wives of the members of the "Little Cabinet." Those invited to receive with Mrs. D. Tucker Brown, president, are: Mrs. Norman M. Littell, Mrs. Clark R. Wickard, Mrs. Breckinridge Long, Mrs Monroe Johnson, Mrs. Louis Johnson, Mrs. Alvin J. Wirtz, Mrs. Henry F. Grady, Mrs. Oscar Chapman, Mrs. W. W. Howes, Mrs. Groover B. Hill, Mrs. Charles V. McLaughlin and Mrs. Francis Biddle.

Sacred Heart of Mary Alumnae to Play Cards

The annual card party of the Sacred Heart of Mary Alumnae will be held on Tuesday, April 9, at the Washington Club, 1701 K street northwest.

The president, Miss Marcella Lanigan, has appointed Mrs. Mary Kines Maggio general chairman, assisted by Mrs. Agnes Whelan McLaughlin, chairman of patronesses; Miss Elizabeth J. Dolan, prizes; Mrs. Grace Sharp, tickets.

Madame Chairman

—*by Suzanne*

Mei Ling Club Will Celebrate 2d Anniversary at Dinner Tomorrow

TOMORROW NIGHT the Mei Ling Club of the Girl Reserves will celebrate their second anniversary with a dinner at 7 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A.

The club was formed by Miss Mabel Cook, director of the Girl Reserve Department of the "Y. W." at the request of Dr. C. C. Hung, pastor of the Chinese Community Church, and now has 12 girls in its membership. Half of the girls bear the name of Lee, but they are not sisters or even cousins—Lee is a name in China comparable to Smith in America.

Betty Lee will be mistress of ceremonies. Mary Lee will give a history of the club; Alice Lee will tell of future plans; Rose Lee will sing; Evelyn Lee will recite a poem, and Muriel Nahmi will play piano solos. Other girls in the club are Emma and Irene Moi, Lily Yee, Betty Wen, and Suen Chin.

Janet Feiker, of Friends School, is their adviser. Guests at their party will include Dr. and Mrs. Hung, Miss Cook, Margaret Graves and Mildred Chapin, of the Girl Reserve department.

HOSTESS AT TEA—Mrs. Willoughby S. Chesley has issued invitations for a tea dance at the Arts Club Wednesday of next week, inviting alumnae of Mount Vernon Seminary to meet the new president, George W. Lloyd, and Mrs. Lloyd. Many out-of-town alumnae will be here at that time, arriving early for the meeting of the Alumnae Council which convenes April 10.

Mrs. Chesley also has invited the heads of other private schools in the city.

REVIEW BY DR. WILLARD—Although Ethel Heuston (Mrs. Randolph Blinn) will be present as a guest of honor at the Book Review Club's meeting at the Grafton tomorrow morning, she says she is not going to review her new book, "Uncle Lancy for President." Her long-time friend, Dr. Winifred Willard, will do it instead.

"How can I review my own book," said the author? "If I tell people how good it is they will think I'm conceited and, if I say it's terrible, my publisher will never take another,"—so you can understand. Anyway all her friends will be there to offer congratulations.

BIG SISTERS TO MEET—The Big Sisters of Florence Crittenton Home will meet Monday with Mrs. H. C. Rawson as hostess, at 1 p. m. Assisting her will be Mrs. J. C. Freeland, Mrs. Frederick Kerby and Mrs. Chester Cawood. Miss Anné Ready, of the Christ Child Society Settlement House, will speak on recreation needs.

The Chevy Chase Circle of the Home will have its annual dance Saturday night at the Wesley Heights Clubhouse. Mrs. Alvin Aubinoe, Mrs. Karl Reimer and Mrs. Thompson W. Owen comprise the committee.

POSTPONE DANCE—The reception and dance to have been given by the Tennessee Society tonight has been postponed until Wednesday, April 17, when it will be held in the Willard suite of the Willard Hotel.

Rain Won't Stop Flower Mart

The annual flower mart of All Hallows Guild May 1 will be held indoors in case of rain, it was announced yesterday, at a meeting of garden club representatives held at the home of Miss Bell Gurnee, 1320 Sixteenth street.

It will be, as usual, on the Pilgrim Steps of Washington Cathedral, if the weather is fair, but the guild this year is prepared for any eventuality and will not postpone it as was done last year with fatal results to a large number of plants.

Miss Gurnee was ill and unable to attend the meeting yesterday. In her absence Mrs. Henry Leonard presided.

Among the new groups to be represented will be the Farm Women's Cooperative Market of Bethesda, the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association, which was represented by Mrs. Rene Jones Taylor, Mrs. Carl Casey and Mrs. S. R. Broadbent, and the Rockville Community Club, represented by Mrs. Eugene Wiley Scott.

A booth newly announced is the odds and ends counter to be in charge of Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman. Mrs. William Jones, jr., will act as chairman for the Bethesda Community Garden Club.

Among others who attended the meeting yesterday were Mrs. W. H. Hough, Sandy Spring; Mrs. Owen J. Roberts, Mrs. Louis Mackall, Mrs. C. Blackwell Smith, and Miss Katherine Dougal, all of the Georgetown Garden Club; Mrs. Charles Matthew Lee, Mrs. David N. Yerkes, Mrs. Raymond Lee Wolven, Mrs. D. R. Birney, of the Trowel Club, of Wesley Heights; Mrs. Daniel Knowlton, Mrs. Noble C. Powell, Mrs. Richard Hynson, Mrs. Mahlon Pitney, Miss Rosalind Wright, Mrs. Randolph Bishop, Miss Helen D. Jones, Mrs. A. R. Golze and Mrs.

Churchwomen To Meet

The Washington Council of Church Women will hold its sixteenth annual ingathering service in connection with the Woman's Council Day tomorrow in Calvary Baptist Church.

Mrs. J. R. Hardesty is chairman of arrangements for the day. In the absence of Mrs. Frank A. Linzel, president of the council, Mrs. George A. Ross will preside.

The meeting will open at 10:30, when the work of the council will be presented by the chairmen of the five departments as follows: Missionary education, Mrs. Fannie Foster; international relations, Mrs. W. L. Darby; better citizenship, Mrs. G. C. D. Townshend; Juvenile Court, Mrs. R. A. Sauer, and foreign student, Mrs. M. D. Given. The council also shares in the work of the department of social welfare of the Washington Federation of Churches, and Mrs. O. B. Atwood, laison member, from the council to that department, will report. The election of officers for the ensuing year will close the business session.

Following the luncheon, new officers will be installed by Dr. Edward Hughes Pruden, president of the Washington Federation of Churches. At the ingathering service, each of the 18 denominational representatives will present the scroll of memberships for her denomination and a basket of flowers. The flowers are sent to the hospitals. Mrs. Charles F. Jackson, chairman of denominational representatives, will preside.

Mrs. William S. Abernethy will be the speaker for the afternoon session, using as her subject "The Glorious Company." Mrs. Abernethy is the teacher of the Burrall Class of the Calvary Baptist Church School, a class of several hundred girls, and a member of important committees of the Federal Council of Churches of America.

Legislative Council Meets Here Today

Women From Ten States to Gather; Dinner Tonight

Women from ten States will arrive in the Capital today to attend the third annual convention of the National Legislative Council on State Government, which will convene with a dinner tonight at Brookings Institution.

An all-day session will be held tomorrow at the Willard Hotel, with a luncheon discussion on "How State Legislative Councils Can Best Aid in the National Programs of Education, Social Security, Child Welfare, Protection of Women Workers and the Voteless Condition of the District of Columbia."

22 Organizations Are Represented

Mrs. William Kittle, who will preside, is chairman of the D. C. Legislative Council, which includes in its membership 22 local organizations having legislative programs. The speakers on the luncheon program will be Arthur Altmeyer, chairman of the Social Security Board; Miss Katharine F. Lenroot, chief of the Children's Bureau; Miss Mary Anderson, chief of the Women's Bureau; Dr. John W. Studebaker, U. S. Commissioner of Education and Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, sponsor of the Senate bill for national representation for the District. Miss V. Ruth Wood, of St. Louis, will address tonight's dinner.

Mrs. Joseph N. Saunders, of the District Congress of Parents and Teachers, is convention chairman.

Each State council functions as does the Woman's Joint Congressional Committee here, on which are legislative representatives of 18 national organizations. As a committee, it neither lobbies nor initiates legislation but pools the legislative programs of the member organizations, supporting or opposing measures before Congress on which any five are in agreement. The State councils operate similarly within the States, giving support or opposition to measures before State legislatures.

Delegations Coming From Many Sections

Delegates who will be here include: Mrs. Arnold M. Replogle, of Pittsburgh, president; Mrs. Paul E. Madden, Chicago, first vice president; Mrs. Laura Hughes Lunde, Chicago, recording secretary; Mrs. Almere Scott, Madison, Wisconsin; Mrs. C. Tracy La Coste, Toledo, Ohio; Miss Berenice Tuttle, Rutland, Vt., Mrs. Frank Kerlin, Harrisburg, Pa.; Miss Eunice Cox, Miss N. Ruth Wood, Mrs. R. C. Trovillion, Miss Florence Pachedag and Miss Agnes Gillespie, all of St. Louis; Mrs. J. Henry Highsmith, Raleigh, N. C.; Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. Elizabeth Cox, Mrs. M. D. Werner and Mrs. Kittle, of the District.

Representatives from national organizations will be Mrs. J. K. Pettengill, of Detroit, president of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers; Miss Inez Colcord, of this city, American Association of University Women; Mrs. Samuel Golding, West Hempstead, N. Y., National Council of Jewish Women; Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward, of the Social Security Board. National Federation of Business and Professional Women.

Costello Legion Auxiliary to Dance

The Vincent B. Costello Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold its annual birthday dinner and dance on Thursday, April 4, at the Lotus Restaurant, 727 Fourteenth street northwest.

Tomorrow, at 217 Seaton place northeast there will be a food demonstration given for the benefit of the unit at 7:30 p. m.

Soroptimists Hear Dr. Bier

Preparations for its sponsorship of presentation of the play "Peter Pan" to raise funds for endowment of a bed at the Children's Convalescent Home and Fresh Air Farm of the Christ Child Society were made yesterday by the Soroptimist Club, meeting at luncheon at the Willard Hotel.

Mrs. Rose Robison Cohen, of the Children's Studios of Speech and Dramatic Art, will present and direct the play at Wardman Park Hotel, May 10, 11 and 13.

Dr. Robert A. Bier, attending physician at the home, was guest speaker at yesterday's luncheon, discussing treatment of the children cared for by the society and illustrating with slides the benefits of the word. He was introduced by Mrs. Cohen.

The club was told that its various committees were working with Mrs. Cohen in arranging the details, including selection of patrons, sale of tickets and selection of posters.

Miss Mary Bourke, president, presided.

Guests included Mrs. Charles Neill, Mrs. James Emery and Miss Mildred Merrick, of the Christ Child Society Board, and Mrs. Alinda Couper, who composed the music for "Peter Pan."

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He knew every man, woman, and child and their Great-Aunt Nellie who ran off with the lightning-rod agent. He knew the story of every yellow old record in the courthouse—and what the boys were laughing at in the livery stable last Sunday. He knew what chance the town had of getting that button factory, and why the parsonage would have a new tenant soon.

▶ The people he wrote for were just as much an open book to him as the news he wrote for them. He wasn't being quaint when he put the results of the school spelldown on page one, or filled five pages with country correspondence. That was meat and drink to the folks out on the R.F.D. routes—far more important than the Boer War or even silver at 16 to 1—and he knew it.

▶ That old-time country editor had *grasp*... complete, integrated understanding of all the news of his locality, and the whole of the mind for which it was written. And his formula, "the nearer the news, the bigger," was essentially the formula of all old-time journalism—in the big cities, as well as in the county seats.

But when Dewey entered Manila Bay and boys in bicycle shops began tinkering with the front ends of buggies, the old order began to pass away. The great, complex world forced itself into the affairs and thoughts of easy-going, turn-of-century America.

Economics, world politics, finance, industrial management, material resources, labor, social theory—they all began to matter somehow. They got you into wars and strikes and hard times. Science began to matter when diphtheria and t.b. were found not to be acts of God. Art began to matter when your daughter came back from Paris or Peoria calling you a Philistine.

▶ America's mind, stretching, pushing out its horizons, called for more news... more kinds of news... news from beyond the railroad depot. And the news poured in—from the just-hatched wire services, from specialists of all kinds, from the syndicates, the feature writers, the correspondents.

Soon the old one-man grasp was gone. The torrent of news was too great and too swift, its sources too many and too remote, for any one man to handle and absorb it all.

And if the editor was swamped, the reader was drowned. In self-defense, he learned to pick his way about his newspaper, snatching a bit here and a bit there, mostly according to the ingenuity of the headline-writer. Often he missed news of importance; often he failed to see what a series of day-by-day stories added up to in the end.

There was a crying need for a new experiment in journalism. A need for somebody with a national viewpoint—free from the pressure of daily and hourly deadlines—to bring the news together so that the intelligent reader could get its essentials, grasp them, make them his own.

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D. C. Police Department One of Nation's Best Although It Is Undermanned, Says Brown

Post Staff Photo

Attending last night's dinner meeting of the Arkansas Avenue Community Association were (left to right) Maj. Ernest W. Brown, chief of police; Hugh V. Keiser, president; Mrs. Henry Grattan Doyle, president of the board of education, and Harry Stull, president of the Federation of Citizens Association

Chief Addresses Arkansas Avenue Community Association

The Washington Police Department is one of the best in the country despite being grossly undermanned, Superintendent of Police Maj. Ernest W. Brown told the Arkansas Avenue Community Association last night.

In the last ten years the number of policemen has increased only 4.3 per cent, while the population has increased 40.69 per cent, he declared. Maj. Brown spoke at the first annual dinner of the association, which was admitted to the Federation of Citizens Associations two weeks ago. The dinner was held in Telford's Buffeteria, 4728 Fourteenth street northwest.

Praising the men in the ranks and supervising officers for their willingness to work overtime in putting down the recent "so-called crime wave," Maj. Brown said, "I don't have to take my hat off to any police organization in the country."

He termed Washington a "pretty orderly community," and blamed "the stranger within our gates" for most of the local crime. In recent months, of 2,243 persons arrested, only 544 were natives of Washington, he said.

Gambling and horse racing are a major cause of crime, the major declared. He advocated "the maximum penalty" for persons convicted of armed holdups.

Hugh V. Keiser, president of the association, was toastmaster and the Rev. J. J. Queally, rector of the Church of the Transfiguration, said the invocation. H. S. Fitz also spoke, and C. O. Reynolds sang a tenor solo.

Among distinguished guests were Mrs. Henry Grattan Doyle, president of the Board of Education; the Rev. H. W. Burgan, pastor of Hamline Methodist Church; Harry N. Stull, president of the Federation of Citizens Association; David Babp, secretary of the federation; A. J. Driscoll, president of the Mid-City Citizens Association; Capt. Joseph W. Pierson, of the Sixth Precicnt, and Erwin H. Shinn, president of the Arkansas State Society.

Holdup Suspect Held

Police last night held an Indian, a former inmate of St. Elizabeths Hospital, as a suspect in the robbery of a liquor store Tuesday.

He is believed to have been the companion of a bandit suspect seized by Capitol Policeman George A. De Cottes, 27 of 1327 Vermont avenue northwest, following the holdup of a whiskey store at 1345 Fourteenth street northwest.

Sergt R. F. McCarty and Policeman A. L. Embrey, Second Precinct, arrested the Indian early yesterday when he stepped from a taxicap at Thomas Circle.

Dance Postponed

The Tennessee State Society reception and dance, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed, officers announced yesterday, until April 17. It will take place in the Willard Hotel.

How to Be a City Father

Strong Political Backing Helps to Win Appointments

Then, Too, Having a Friend in White House Is No Handicap in Landing $9,000 Job As Commissioner for Washington

By Edward T. Folliard
Post Staff Writer

How does a man—or a woman—get appointed to the $9,000-a-year post of Commissioner of the District of Columbia?

That question has become pertinent in view of the intense interest now being shown in the question of a successor to Commissioner George E. Allen, who has submitted his resignation, effective April 15.

Old-timers around the District Building say they have never seen voteless Washington so excited over a local appointment. A large number of civic, business or patriotic organizations have "nominated" somebody for Allen's job. A great many others are expected to do so.

Looking back, it would seem that the best way to get appointed as a city father was to have strong political backing or to have an influential friend around the White House. There have, of course, been some notable exceptions to this.

Senator Harrison Backed Allen

Commissioner Allen, who came to Washington in 1929 as representative of a financial house operating in Wardman Park Hotel, was named Commissioner in 1933 because he had the powerful backing of Senator Pat Harrison (Democrat), of Mississippi.

Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen, for many years surveyor of the District, was elevated to his present post through the influence of the late Admiral Cary T. Grayson, an old friend of President Roosevelt and chairman of the 1933 inaugural committee.

There was no suggestion of politics in the appointment of the two men named as Commissioners by President Hoover. Neither Dr. Luther H. Reichelderfer nor Gen. Herbert B. Crosby sought the job, and both were surprised to find they were under consideration.

Dr. Reichelderfer, who came here from Ohio as a boy, had retired from active medical practice when Hoover entered the White House. A few of his medical friends thought it was about time the city got a doctor as Commissioner. Without his knowledge, they went to work for him. What they did exactly has never been disclosed, but it is believed they sang their praises of Dr. Reichelderfer to Capt. Joel T. Boone, U. S. N., the White House physician, who in turn recommended him to President Hoover.

Retired Cavalry Chief Named

Maj. Gen. Crosby had just retired as chief of cavalry when he was named as Commissioner along with Dr. Reichelderfer. Here again there is no record of just how his appointment came about. The man who recommended him, however, doubtless was the late George Akerson, secretary to President Hoover. Gen. Crosby and Akerson lived in the same apartment house on Massachusetts avenue.

Two Coolidge appointees were Proctor L. Dougherty and Sidney F. Taliaferro. A native of Dorchester, Mass., Dougherty came to Washington in 1900 after he was graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Taliaferro was born in Salem, Va., and began the practice of law here after he got his LL. B. from Georgetown University in 1913.

Dougherty had long been active in civic affairs when he was appointed Commissioner in 1926. He was president of the Chevy Chase Citizens Association, a delegate to the Federation of Citizens Associations and a member of the Citizens Advisory Council. A friend wrote a letter to the White House recommending him for Commissioner. E. T. (Ted) Clark, secretary to President Coolidge, an old friend of Dougherty, saw the letter and went to bat for him. The fact that Dougherty was originally from Massachusetts helped a lot.

The late John Garibaldi Sargent, Coolidge's Attorney General, summoned Dougherty to his office. He questioned him about a dozen men who had been recommended for Commissioner. Dougherty praised two or three of them highly and was about to leave when Attorney General Sargent offered the job to him. He had simply been sizing him up.

Coolidge Named Democrat

Taliaferro was appointed Commissioner by President Coolidge despite the fact that he was a Democrat. The story at the time was that he was backed for the job by Thomas P. Littlepage, influential in the local Republican organization.

Frederick A. Fenning, a native Washingtonian, who served as Commissioner from June 2, 1925, to August 2, 1926, resigning under fire, had been appointed with the active backing of the local Republican organization. He had worked hard for the organization in the Harding and Coolidge elections.

President Wilson appointed two newspaper correspondents, Oliver Newman and Louis Brownlow, as Commissioners. Newman had traveled with Wilson on his campaigns. He was supposed to have recommended Brownlow as his companion in the District Building. Miss Margaret Wilson, who was interested in abolishing the old Red Light district, is said to have had a hand in these appointments and in the subsequent appointment of Raymond Pullman as a reform chief of police.

T. R. Named Two Newsmen

President Theodore Roosevelt also appointed two newspapermen as Commissioners. They were Henry Litchfield West, a political writer for The Washington Post, and Henry B. F. Macfarland, a correspondent here for a Philadelphia paper. In 1926 President Coolidge offered the job to J. Russell Young, White House reporter for The Evening Star, but he declined it.

Washington's voteless citizens often have complained because their desires were not heeded in the appointment of Commissioners. The Presidents themselves have invariably suffered headaches over such appointments.

Toward the end of his Administration, when Newman and Brownlow had departed, President Wilson had to appoint two Commissioners. He named Miss Mabel Boardman, whose Red Cross work was so notable, to one of the posts. In trying to fill the other one, Wilson asked a newspaper friend to go out and find him a good man. The result was the appointment of J. Thilman Hendrick.

Fund Set Up To Teach D. C. Shut-ins

House Committee Reports Favorably On $15,000 Item For Children

A $15,000 item looms tiny in a $48,000,000 budget but that little item, for instruction of shutin children who are crilppled or chronically ill, represents a hard-earned victory.

"Believe me, we're glad," was the comment last night of Mrs. Odetta O'Hara, president of the Association for Education of Handicapped Children, after learning the $15,000 sum had been reported favorably by the House Appropriations Committee.

"We mothers are grateful to the committee and to The Washington Post for campaigning for the appropriation. The amount is not as much as we asked but it will at least give us a start."

In the late summer of 1938 The Post launched a drive to demonstrate the need for providing educational opportunities for the Capital's hundreds of "forgotten children," as they were termed in the first series of newspaper articles to call public attention to the problem.

Crippled and ill youngsters, too disabled to attend even special classes for physically handicapped boys and girls, were being permitted to languish in their homes and grow up in illiteracy.

Exposure of the situation by The Post aroused considerable feeling and was followed by the establishment of a special WPA project under which 16 visiting teachers were sent into the homes of as many of the invalid boys and girls as could be accommodated.

The project was renewed last fall but WPA officials said at that time it could not be continued indefinitely, since the work actually was the responsibility of the District.

Last year the Senate approved $22,400 to initiate the activity as a regular District teaching function, but the item was stricken out in conference.

In reporting out the $15,000 allotment, the Appropriations Committee specified that the money shall be administered by the Board of Public Welfare, rather than the Board of Education. This was a surprising move, inasmuch as Mrs. Henry Grattan Doyle, president of the school board, has consistently advocated a permanent shut-in instructional program.

"I can't understand why it was given to the welfare board, but I'm not complaining," said Mrs. O'Hara.

The appropriations committee did specify, however, that the new program "should be carried on with the cooperation of the public school authorities."

Aquabelles and 'Aquaboys' Frolic in Aquacade

Post Staff Photos

The District Red Cross last night staged its aquacade in the Shoreham Hotel pool. Top (left to right)—Bill Tarbett, star diver and clown; Ann Foster, as Miss Red Cross; Louise Adams, as the Goddess of Liberty, and Frank Reilly, diver and clown, couldn't help cutting up, even between acts. Lower (left to right)—Eugenia Burroughs, one of the dancers; Patsy Palmer, aquabelle, and Audrey Woodford, who also danced

Rabbi Urges Development Of Palestine

Form of Government Secondary, 700 Told; Culture 'Century Off'

Rabbi Solomon Goldman, of Chicago, president of the Zionist Organization of America, last night warned 700 persons at the Jewish Community Center that the reestablishment of Jewish culture in Palestine was at least a century off.

Speaking before a joint meeting of the District Zionists and members of B'nai B'rith, Rabbi Goldman scored Zionist controversies over the form of Palestine's government, and declared the major objective is the development of the country.

"Make no mistake about it," the Jewish leaders asserted. "The people living in Palestine will decide for themselves what they want for their government, and Jews of America and other countries will have little say in the matter. It is our duty to help recreate Palestine, without strings attached, and to let the people there mold their own destiny."

Controversy over the future political scheme of Palestine, Dr. Goldman said, was about as fruitless "as would have been speculations on the future of America's government by sailors of Columbus."

The Zionist head observed that the Jews of Palestine have much work to do before they could build a nation. He estimated it would be 25 years before the Hebrew language would become flexible enough for normal use; that it would be a century before the Hebraic law would adjust itself to modern conditions; that perfecting of the educational system would take at least 100 years.

Edward Grusd, editor of the National Jewish Monthly, was chairman of the meeting.

Donovan Backed For Allen Post

Maj. Daniel J. Donovan, District auditor, was indorsed for the vacancy on the Board of Commissioners by the executive committee of the Brookland Citizens Association after a meeting Tuesday.

Members praised Donovan as a man of "common sense, plenty of courage, and pronounced executive ability."

The unit also adopted a motion urging Congress to amend the local income tax so as to make it "fair and workable" and recommended a sales tax as a means for increased revenue.

2 Hurt as Truck And Bus Crash; Auto Hits Boy, 4

Two persons suffered minor injuries and six other passengers were shaken up yesterday when a Capital Transit bus and a Salvation Army truck crashed on Ninth street at K northwest.

Cora B. Booza, 30, colored, of 1723 New Jersey avenue, and Thalie H. Hammond, 36, colored, of 914 P street northwest, were taken to Emergency Hospital for treatment. According to police, Andrew T. Parks, 38, of Bladensburg, Md., was driver of the bus, and John T. Lawless, 39, of 528 First street northwest, operator of the truck.

Four-year-old Junior Shingler, colored, of 123 L street northwest, was taken to Sibley Hospital with a fractured right thigh and possible skull fracture after he had run into the street from between parked cars near his home, and had been felled by an auto. Driver of the vehicle, police said, was John N. Ellis, 21, of Mount Rainier, Md

Branson to Bid Farewell Today To Marine Band

Capt. Taylor Branson will lead the United States Marine Band for the last time today at 2:30 p. m. in the Marine Barracks auditorium before handing over his baton to Second Leader William F. Santelman, who will succeed him.

Maj. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, Commandant of the Marine Corps, will present the retirement order to Capt. Branson in the course of the concert, after a letter from President Roosevelt regretting the band leader's resignation, is read by the drum major, H. H. Florea.

The ceremonies will be broadcast over the blue network of the National Broadcasting Co.

Before the concert the musicians will hold an informal party in Capt. Branson's honor in the band loft of the Marine Barracks, and give him a farewell present.

Capt. Branson's resignation becomes effective April 1.

Senate Unit Polled on D.C. Price-Fixing

Tydings Acts When Quorum Is Lacking At Meeting; Favorable Report Is Foreseen

A favorable report by the Senate District Committee on the local fair trade practices bill was forecast yesterday as Senator Tydings (Democrat), of Maryland, began polling the committee after a meeting failed to produce a quorum.

Chairman King sought to delay action on the bill on the ground that he wanted an opportunity to read a statement assailing the measure. Tydings suggested he make his attack on the Senate floor.

The bill, which has passed the House, would permit manufacturers to fix resale prices by agreement with retailers.

Senator Reynolds (Democrat), of North Carolina, reported without recommendation a bill to permit the establishment of a race track in the District, but action was deferred until the next committee meeting.

Amendments offered by Senator Overton (Democrat), of Louisiana, provide that all municipal revenue from the race track be used in capital improvements and that the track pay the salaries of police assigned to patrol the area.

Senator Capper (Republican), of Kansas, asked that a subcommittee be assigned to hold hearings on a bill to authorize the holding of primaries for the election of delegates to political party conventions.

The committee reported favorably a bill to permit the Capital Transit Co. to construct a waiting room at Commodore Barney circle.

67 Fire Calls In a Day Set District Record

The District Fire Department answered more fire calls yesterday than on any previous single day of its history.

And one of them was the five-alarm blaze at St. Peter's Church during the height of which 14 other calls were answered.

The total for the 12-hour period from 10 a. m. to 10 o'clock last night was 67. All of the calls were for fires, whereas three years ago, when the total ran to 80, the summons were for flooded cellars.

Senator and Son Sing at Father and Son Night

Post Staff Photo

Senator Josh Lee, of Oklahoma, told 200 persons at the annual Father and Son Night of the Y. M. C. A. last night that digging is what it takes to get the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow. Pictured singing "Old MacDonald Had A Farm" are (left to right) Homer Gillian, Edward Coffin, Graham Hereford, Robert Lee, Senator Lee, Jimmy Walters, Richard Marsh, Bill Fry and Dean Harvey

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British Evasive As Russia Asks Ships Be Freed

Deny Possible Rift; Envoy May Return To Moscow Post

By James B. Reston.

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London, March 27.—Ivan Maisky, the Russian Ambassador, called on Viscount Halifax at the foreign office today and demanded immediate release of two Soviet ships now being held at Hongkong and said British interference with Russian state vessels "has created an extremely bad impression in Moscow."

Official circles promptly scoffed at suggestions the matter might strain Anglo-Russian relations, and protested there was no connection with the successful French demands for recall to Moscow of the Soviet Ambassador to Paris, Jacob Surits.

An official foreign office spokesman declared the Surits incident was only a matter between the French and Russian governments.

Although foreign diplomats believed this government's attitude toward Russia was "frigid," British newspapers showed no inclination to join the French press in demanding severance of relations with the U. S. S. R. There were even rumors that Sir William Seeds, British Ambassador to Moscow, might return to his post shortly. Like the French envoy, Paul Emile Naggiar, he has been "on leave" for several months.

Ships Taken to Hongkong

The ships in question are the Selenga, 2,492 tons, and the Vladimir Maiakovski. The Selenga, laden with tin, antimony and wolfram, was stopped by British warships off the island of Formosa, January 13, while en route from a Chinese port to Vladivostok. The other ship took on about 4,000 tons of American copper at Manzanillo, Mexico, touched at San Pedro, Calif., and loaded more metal, and was intercepted by another British warship, which took her immediately to Hongkong.

The British government, Maisky told Halifox, had no right to intercept these two ships because they were owned not by private companies but by the Soviet government. Halifax replied that it was necessary for the Allies to check the cargoes of these ships in order to be perfectly sure that there was no question of this contraband material being transshipped to Germany.

Maisky said his government respected Britain's right to investigate cargoes, but said that inasmuch as the Selenga has now been held more than two months his government felt bound to demand that this ship be released immediately. In reply the foreign secretary, according to Soviet officials here, said he would see what could be done, but he pointed out that increased exports from the United States to Russia since the start of the war naturally led to a suspicion that some of these exports might be finding their way to Germany.

It is understood, Maisky told Halifax, that Russia was not interested in advancing farther across Scandinavia and insisted that the sole reason for the war against Finland was to secure the Soviet Union against attack.

It was said no mention was made of the possibility of Russia joining with Germany and Italy in a joint guarantee of the Balkan status quo, nor was anything said on either side about the trade talks which were started just before Russia invaded Finland and have been in abeyance ever since.

Soviet Envoy Recalled

Paris, March 27 (AP).—The possibility of a rupture of diplomatic relations between France and Russia developed today as a result of France's fulfilled request for recall of the Soviet's ambassador to Paris, Jakob Surits.

A French press campaign for Paris to cut her diplomatic ties with Moscow gained momentum in the wake of the recall, which the French government requested because it felt the envoy had "insulted" France and Britain.

The well-informed newspaper Le Temps said:

"The friend of our enemies, Russia, is our enemy, whether we wish it or not. She should be treated as such. Why should we put up any longer with a fiction which everything denies and contradicts?"

The move for a break with Russia began as long ago as January 14, when Philippe Henriot filed a resolution in the Chamber of Deputies demanding such a move. Today the press generally added to the fire with outspoken expressions of indignation.

"Warning" to Russia

The French demand for Surits' recall was interpreted as a "warning" to Russia from the new government of Premier Paul Reynaud, which already has announced a plan for a stiffer diplomatic fight against Germany.

There still was no indication that French military purposes would be served by declaration of a formal state of war between France and the Soviet Union.

But if Russia makes a decisive move with Germany in the Balkans that would be another matter, it was said.

As for that possibility, the French pointed to the Allied force in the Near East and the Allies' understanding with Turkey, which holds the key to the Black Sea in the Dardanelles. Turkey, however, is not bound to help the Allies to fight Russia.

Increased attention here has been turned on the Near East and possible Russian-German intentions there. Italy's future course also is the subject of close study. There have been suggestions in the press that former Premier Pierre Laval should be sent to Rome to open negotiations with Premier Mussolini.

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Blast on French Destroyer Kills Seven of Crew

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Paris, March 27.—Seven men were killed in an explosion aboard the French destroyer La Railleuse, according to an announcement by the ministry of marine today. The Railleuse is a 1,378-ton vessel, built in 1927.

Besides the deaths, several members of the crew are reported missing. The families of the victims have been notified.

Details Withheld

The brief communique gave neither the time nor place of the accident, and there was no indication of the cause.

(The Italian news agency, Stefani, said the destroyer was broken in two by the blast Saturday as she was leaving Casablanca, Morocco, and that 100 sailors were believed dead, injured or missing.

(The only previous French warship loss of the war was in the explosion and fire which swept the Pluton off Morocco early last September. At least 100 sailors were reported killed aboard the 4,773-ton Pluton, a mine-layer. This explosion was laid to an accident.)

U-Boat Invades British Base

London, March 27 (AP).—The news that a German submarine had penetrated the precincts of closely guarded Kirkwall, big British blockade base in the Orkney Islands, to sink the 3-794-ton Norwegian freighter Cometa, brought the undersea war sharply home to Great Britain tonight.

It was a day of other bad news at sea, offset, to some extent, by glowing accounts of British air successes over the Western Front and the North Sea.

The Kirkwall contraband control base is a bay on the northeast side of the Orkney island called Mainland, north of Scapa Flow, where the battleship Royal Oak was sunk by a submarine early in the war, and which was raided heavily recently by Nazi bombers. Numerous neutral ships on northerly routes have been hailed into Kirkwall for examination during the war.

The crew of the freighter, numbering 37, was saved. The ship was en route from Bergen to Buenos Aires. (In Bergen, the newspaper Aftenblad bitterly assailed the British for taking the ship into the contraband base after the British consul at Bergen had given her all-Norwegian cargo a "clearance.")

Only yesterday the British admiralty announced there were no Allied ships sunk in the week ended Sunday night, but tonight's disclosure of the Daghestan's fate spoiled this claim.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

KEYSTONE AUTOMOBILE CLUB FIRE COMPANY of Philadelphia, Pa.

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INCOME.

Net premiums	$225,563.99
Total interest and rents	25,850.11
Other income	8,439.72
Total income	$259,853.82

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policy holders for losses	$44,436.75
All other disbursements	139,381.42
Total disbursements	$183,818.17

ASSETS.

Real estate	$19,860.77
Mortgage loans on real estate	73,600.00
Bonds and stocks	670,522.98
Deposits in banks	112,718.97
Agents' balances	18,757.98
Interest and rents due or accrued	11,946.31
All other assets	9,184.28
Gross assets	$916,591.29
Deduct assets not admitted	77,673.38
Total admitted assets	$838,917.91

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$4,823.75
Total unearned premiums	113,066.89
Other liabilities	421,027.27
Capital paid up	200,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	100,000.00
Total	$838,917.91

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$7,972.75	$132.69
Motor vehicles	217,537.34	4,852.81
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	53.90	10.14
Total	$225,563.99	$4,995.64

HENRY C. FOX, Jr., Vice President.
LEWIS W. STRAHLEY, Jr., Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) HAROLD T. MILLIKEN, Notary Public.
My commission expires March 12, 1943.

Sale of Latest Warplanes Wins Approval

House Probers Agree As Executives, Industry Clear Way for Allies

By John G Norris

New Administration policy of releasing the latest American warplanes for sale to the Allies yesterday won the general approval of a House investigating committee and a joint session of Government officials and leading aircraft manufacturers.

The House Military Affairs Committee gave informal indorsement of the new plane-export policy after Secretary of War Woodring declared it had been formulated by him and his aides for national defense reasons and "without coercion or without pressure from anyone."

"I'm not easily pushed around," he said, in denying any friction with Secretary Morgenthau over the efforts of the Allies to secure release of new Army planes, "and as long as I am Secretary of War I am not going to be pushed around."

Hints Policy Was Forced

Representative Anderson (Democrat), of Missouri, demanded to know whether or not Morgenthau and Ambassador William C. Bullitt had not "forced this policy on you," but Chairman May ruled out the question as irrelevant to the committee's inquiry.

Later in the day, representatives of the Treasury, War and Navy Departments met with leading figures in the aircraft industry to go over the new policy. Afterwards the Treasury issued a statement declaring:

"There was general agreement that large additional foreign orders can be handled in a manner affording complete protection of our national interest and to the satisfaction of the aviation industry."

Opens Door to Allies

Col. John H. Jouett, president of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, acting as spokesman for the manufacturers, said the new policy "opens the door" for the expected $1,000,000,000 in war orders from the British and French, barred by the prior Army-Navy stand.

Jouett said the manufacturers had been told by Government officials that all new types of planes heretofore withheld are now "releaseable," subject to conferences with the War and Navy Departments, and added: "They will be a lot easier."

Representative Harter (Democrat), of Ohio, who sponsored the House Committee's inquiry, was satisfied with the explanation of the Army officials, issuing a statement praising the new policy. Chairman May termed Woodring's justification of it "a complete answer" and criticism of it a "tempest in a teapot."

But while the inquiry apparently ended the matter so far as the House is concerned, Senators who opposed the repeal of the arms embargo last fall seemed likely to combat the new policy. Senator Clark (Democrat), of Missouri, disclosed he had told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee its adoption "was another step leading toward involvement in war" and Senator LaFollette (Progressive), of Wisconsin, pressed for action by the Senate Military Committee on his resolution to investigate the matter.

War Stalemate Danger to U. S., Says Lecturer

A Fascist victory in the European war would be dangerous for America, but a stalemate might be even worse, Edward Mead Earle, of the Princeton University Institute for Advanced Study, said yesterday in an address here.

"If this war ends in chaos the only future for America will be to keep prepared in a military sense for any eventuality," he said, "and that would be expensive."

His address in the Department of Agriculture auditorium was one of a series of lectures on "The Conditions of a Durable Peace," sponsored by the department graduate school.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

NEW BRUNSWICK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,750,931.01
Total interest and rents	214,489.50
Other income	181,701.87
Total income	$2,147,122.38

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$784,251.83
All other disbursements	1,270,704.17
Total disbursements	$2,054,956.00

ASSETS.

Real estate	$200,000.00
Bonds and stocks	4,448,911.61
Deposits in banks	332,405.35
Agents' balances	17,999.83
Interest and rents due or accrued	20,502.00
All other assets	147,178.39
Gross assets	$5,166,997.18
Deduct assets not admitted	862,958.45
Total admitted assets	$5,104,038.73

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$275,700.00
Total unearned premiums	1,580,311.00
Other liabilities	126,800.00
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	2,121,227.73
Total	$5,104,038.73

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$918,042.99	$2,336.88
Ocean marine	23,757.71	.....
Motor vehicles	617,942.67	167.22
Earthquake	3,354.62	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	85,595.52	6.06
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	69,048.36	55.66
Sprinkler leakage	11,961.72	.....
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	21,227.42	1.04
	$1,750,931.01	$2,568.78

RICHARD F. VAN VRANKEN, Vice President.
W. R. VAN NOSTRAND, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) A. G. KRUG, Notary Public.

Notary Public, Queens County Clerk's No. 1046. Cert. filed in N. Y. Co. Clerk's No. 177. Kings Co. Clerk's No. 16. Commission expires March 30, 1941.

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Directs Security Board's Personnel

BYRON MITCHELL, of Austin, Tex., yesterday was appointed director of the employment service division, Social Security Board. Mitchell succeeds William H. Stead who resigned to become dean of the school of business and public administration, Washington University, St. Louis. Mitchell's appointment was made by Federal Security Administrator McNutt

Ryti Chosen Head of New Finn Cabinet

By the Associated Press

Helsinki, March 27.—Finland made a start tonight toward rebuilding the nation on the ashes of an unhappy peace.

Premier Risto Ryti's wartime cabinet resigned, to be succeeded immediately by a coalition ministry under the same leader and dedicated to the sole task of reconstruction.

At the first session of the new government, Ryti presented the following program:

Speedy inauguration of a comprehensive national reconstruction as the "most important task facing the government."

A "foreign policy of peace and neutrality."

The government "must aim at creating friendly confidential relations with all nations," thus "consolidating the international position of Finland and guaranteeing promotion of the reconstruction work."

"Our defense must be planned and built up with a view to the new conditions and the experiences gained."

The new cabinet differs from that which led the country through 3½ months of war chiefly in that it includes members of all major parties and several ministers with no active political affiliations. They were selected because Finns generally agreed they were the best men to direct the gigantic task of post-war rebuilding.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COLUMBIA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY of 2337 Sherman Ave. N. W., Washington D. C.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$58,115.24
Other income	2,067.96
Total income	$60,183.20

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$6,329.59
All other disbursements	39,744.09
Total disbursements	$46,073.68

ASSETS.

Deposits in banks	$40,548.35
Premiums in course of collection	2,112.52
Gross assets	$42,660.87
Total admitted assets	$42,660.87

LIABILITIES.

Total unpaid claims	$30,023.71
Total unearned premiums	998.58
Other liabilities	1,003.29
Surplus over all liabilities	10,635.29
Total	$42,660.87

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Auto liability	$44,167.59	$44,167.59
Auto property damage	13,947.65	13,947.65
Totals	$58,115.24	$58,115.24

JOHN H. ROYER, Jr., President.
R. LOGAN HOLLOWELL, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of March, 1940.
(Seal.) EUGENE J. KING, Notary Public.
My commission expires October 1, 1940.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FARM BUREAU MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Columbus, Ohio

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$458,250.61
Total interest and rents	16,102.11
Other income	57,551.23
Total income	$531,903.95

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$161,917.12
All other disbursements	213,176.14
Total disbursements	$375,093.26

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$872,868.57
Cash in company's office	50.00
Deposits in banks	89,726.90
All other assets	58,058.07
Gross assets	$1,025,357.54
Deduct assets not admitted	16.88
Total admitted assets	$1,025,340.66

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$12,959.50
Total unearned premiums	323,023.34
Other liabilities	89,357.82
Guaranty capital	325,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	275,000.00
Total	$1,025,340.66

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$149,782.11	.....
Motor vehicles, fire	248,827.66	2,181.45
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	32,127.87	.....
Extended Coverage	7,502.97	.....
Total	$458,250.61	$2,181.45

D. M. ODAFFER, President.
MURRAY D. LINCOLN, Secretary-Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) GEORGE R. ATKINSON, Notary Public.
Notary Public, Franklin County, Ohio.
My commission expires March 22, 1942.

Premier King's Liberal Party Victory in Canada Sets Record

By the Associated Press

Ottawa, March 27.—Prime Minister MacKenzie King's Liberal government piled up the largest Parliamentary majority in Canadian history today as scattered returns from yesterday's general election gave still further support to the government's conduct of the war against Germany.

With only five seats still in doubt and one to be filled by a deferred election, the Liberals had won 177 of the 245 seats in the House of Commons. Furthermore, Liberal candidates were leading in each of the five undecided elections.

The National Government Party, principal opposition group, which includes the Conservative Party, won only 38 seats. The other two opposition groups, the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation and the New Democracy Party, won 8 and 7 seats, respectively.

The remaining nine seats went to scattered minor parties.

The previous record majority was that held by the MacKenzie King government in the Parliament which the prime minister dissolved on January 25—169 seats.

Herridge Is Defeated

Kindersley, Sask., March 27 (AP).—W. D. Herridge, former Canadian minister to the United States and head of the new Democracy movement, was defeated in this prairie constituency in yesterday's general election.

Herridge conceded defeat to C. E. Henderson, Liberal opponent, although complete returns are not yet available.

In a statement today the former Canadian representative at Washington declared:

"The victory of the Allies depends upon Canada's maximum contribution to the war. When war forces us to realize that fact, Canada will demand national service. I pray that realization will not come too late."

Senate Committee Favors Probe Of Propaganda

By the Associated Press

A proposed investigation of foreign war propaganda in the United States won yesterday the unanimous approval of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The inquiry would be authorized by a resolution by Senator Clark (Democrat), of Missouri, which would set up a special seven-member committee with an appropriation of $25,000.

The Foreign Relations group sent the resolution to the Senate Audit Committee for consideration of the financial aspects of the proposal.

The inquiry committee would be directed to look into the activities of "any person, firm or corporation acting for any foreign nations, by way of propaganda or otherwise, having as their ultimate goal or tending to cause, directly or indirectly, a change in the neutral position of the United States in the conflicts now being waged abroad."

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE BALTIMORE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY of New York, New York

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,771,425.85
Total interest and rents	263,475.68
Other income	261,074.77
Total income	$2,295,976.30

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$920,482.62
All other disbursements	1,339,754.43
Total disbursements	$2,260,237.05

ASSETS.

Real estate	$122,147.90
Mortgage loans on real estate	67,500.00
Bonds and stocks	5,440,097.53
Cash in company's office	300.00
Deposits in banks	470,934.88
Agents' balances	283,414.75
Interest and rents due or accrued	24,410.00
All other assets	44,120.22
Gross assets	$6,482,925.28
Deduct assets not admitted	88,535.13
Total admitted assets	$6,364,390.15

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$289,504.00
Total unearned premiums	2,079,984.00
Other liabilities	184,000.00
Capital paid up	1,500,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	2,330,902.15
Total	$6,364,390.15

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$1,119,600.67	$14,376.24
Ocean marine	33,974.00	.....
Motor vehicles	417,111.44	4,806.52
Earthquake	2,906.27	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	96,122.40	212.34
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	70,474.25	659.04
Sprinkler leakage	8,779.69	100.00
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	21,429.06	173.35
All other	.....	305.03
	$1,770,397.78	$20,632.52

JOHN A. FORRESTEL, President.
DAVID H. MOORE, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) A. G. KRUG, Notary Public.

Notary Public Queens County Clerk's No. 1046. Certificate filed in New York County Clerk's No. 177. Kings County Clerk's No. 16. Commission expires March 30, 1941.

INTERNATIONAL BANK,
Agent
A. L. HANDY
Insurance Manager
726 Jackson Place N.W.
Washington, D. C.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE CO., U. S. BRANCH of 110 William St., New York, N. Y.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$621,477.34
Total interest and rents	105,644.42
Other income	17,453.64
Total income	$744,595.40

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$260,599.09
All other disbursements	454,462.86
Total disbursements	$715,061.95

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$3,833,244.08
Deposits in banks	404,895.69
Agents' balances	74,104.45
Interest and rents due or accrued	10,854.24
All other assets	12,512.74
Gross assets	$4,335,611.20
Deduct assets not admitted	508,028.33
Total admitted assets	$3,827,582.87

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$86,183.00
Total unearned premiums	648,436.90
Other liabilities	49,534.94
Statutory deposit	200,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,843,428.03
Total	$2,827,582.87

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$498,742.44	$1,032.55
Motor vehicles	31,670.49	184.30
Earthquake	4,039.51	.....
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	45,309.81	.....
Hail	14,130.38	.....
Sprinkler leakage	2,892.39	.....
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	23,070.96	.....
All other aircraft and auto property damage	1,621.66	.....
Supplemental contract	.....	149.11
	$621,477.34	$1,345.96

P. J. BRAIDWOOD, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) HENRY REYNAUD, Notary Public.

Notary Public, Richmond County, Certificate filed in New York County 482, Reg. G-N-394. Commission expires March 30, 1940.

Agents
WILLIAM H. WALKER
Real Estate and Insurance
220 Shoreham Bldg.
Washington, D. C.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Milwaukee, Wisconsin

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

New premiums	$18,604,152.12
Renewal premiums	109,997,914.48
Total premium income	$128,602,066.60
Total interest and rents	53,909,037.17
Other income	29,021,057.91
Total income	$211,532,161.68

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid for losses and matured endowments	$47,796,139.60
Other payments to policy holders	60,303,938.95
All other disbursements	42,527,965.82
Total disbursements	$150,628,044.37

ASSETS.

Real estate	$54,226,682.82
Mortgage loans on real estate	303,573,465.07
Policy loans and premium notes	170,293,720.67
Bonds and stocks	761,538,261.10
Cash in office	95,286.41
Deposits in banks	13,922,616.59
Total interest and rents due and accrued	17,430,502.92
Net amount of uncollected and deferred premiums	18,067,706.52
All other assets	1,060,420.76
Gross assets	$1,340,208,662.86
Deduct assets not admitted	$47,785,848.01
Total admitted assets	$1,292,422,814.85

LIABILITIES.

Net reserve, required by law	$1,027,211,948.00
Extra reserve for total and permanent disability benefits	3,261,196.00
Installment payments not yet due in settlement of death claims, matured endowments, etc.	154,522,294.00
Total policy claims in process of settlement, under adjustment, etc.	5,129,965.43
Dividends due or apportioned to policyholders	33,789,195.75
Other liabilities	11,321,873.14
	$1,235,236,472.32
Reserve for contingencies—such as asset depreciation, mortality fluctuation, etc.—or "Unassigned Funds (Surplus)"	$57,186,342.53
Total	$1,292,422,814.85
Amount of ordinary business written during the year	$193,179,748.00
Amount of ordinary business written in the District of Columbia during the year	$1,751,249.00

EDMUND FITZGERALD, Vice President.
R. E. PERRY, Assistant Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1940.
(Seal.) H. B. PETERSON, Notary Public.
Notary Public, Milwaukee County, Wis. My commission expires July 25, 1943.

ROGER L. BALDWIN
General Agent
For the District and Nearby Counties of Maryland and Virginia
Investment Bldg., 15th & K Sts. N.W.
Washington, D. C.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

DETROIT FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY of Detroit, Michigan

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$735,166.35
Total interest and rents	194,311.20
Other income	1,163.32
Total income	$980,640.87

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$326,424.88
All other disbursements	708,111.42
Total disbursements	$1,034,536.30

ASSETS.

Real estate	$1,320,127.51
Mortgage loans on real estate	191,600.72
Bonds and stocks	2,383,830.21
Deposits in banks	178,976.03
Agents' balances	70,561.42
Interest and rents due or accrued	15,253.90
All other assets	31,732.45
Gross assets	$4,192,082.24
Deduct assets not admitted	183,061.10
Total admitted assets	$4,009,021.14

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	182,746.00
Total unearned premiums	827,848.44
Other liabilities	70,481.04
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	$2,027,945.66
Total	$4,009,021.14

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$600,874.04	$2,964.75
Motor vehicles	61,772.00	804.35
Earthquake	1,518.69	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	26,777.95	400.97
Tornado, windstorm and cyclone	32,795.97	184.46
Hail	21,457.83	.....
Sprinkler leakage	2,837.53	2.48
Riot, civil commotion and explosion	12,565.62	187.31
All other aircraft	4,435.94	3.13
Flood	111.18	.....
	$785,166.35	$4,438.94

D. R. ACKERMAN, Vice President.
J. G. NIEDERLITZ, Assistant Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) AIMEE P. COLLIER, Notary Public.

*On the basis of December 31, 1939, market quotations for all bonds and stocks owned, this company's total admitted assets would be increased to $4,049,681.14 and policyholders' surplus to $3,048,573.66.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

RHODE ISLAND INSURANCE COMPANY of Providence, Rhode Island

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$1,163,092.54
Total interest and rents	174,464.47
Other income	1,245,525.77
Total income	$2,583,082.78

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$1,445,984.18
All other disbursements	1,333,120.88
Total disbursements	$2,779,104.99

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$4,381,931.28
Cash in company's office	59,320.09
Deposits in banks	586,540.40
Agents' balances	350,689.28
Interest and rents due or accrued	23,232.44
All other assets	42,079.84
Gross assets	$5,643,793.33
Deduct assets not admitted	545,553.71
Total admitted assets	$5,098,239.62

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$169,671.00
Total unearned premiums	1,379,093.25
Other liabilities	424,440.53
Capital paid up	892,537.50
Surplus over all liabilities	2,032,497.34
Total	$5,098,239.62

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$706,267.50	$8,546.97
Motor vehicles	322,077.36	—12.38
Earthquake	908.60	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	39,744.84	62.87
Tornado, windstorm, and cyclone	30,307.94	623.60
Sprinkler leakage	2,969.69	.05
Riot, civil commotion, and explosion	3,930.27	20.90
Extended cover	56,986.25	895.06
	$1,163,092.54	$10,137.07

BYRON S. WATSON, President.
ROBERT C. WEIGEL, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) FRANCIS W. HOPKINS, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Minneapolis, Minn.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

New premiums	$1,306,741.87
Renewal premiums	9,323,312.03
Total premium income	$10,630,053.90
Total interest and rents	$2,653,240.62
Other income	1,877,385.36
Total income	$15,160,679.88

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid for losses and matured endowments	$3,255,939.84
Other payments to policyholders	2,651,851.04
All other disbursements	4,324,606.98
Total disbursements	$10,232,397.86

ASSETS.

Real estate	$2,882,675.21
Mortgage loans on real estate	7,292,649.82
Policy loans and premium notes	9,565,147.92
Bonds and stocks	48,346,524.07
Cash in office	51,656.17
Deposits in banks	4,422,975.00
Total interest and rents due and accrued	$22,238.85
Net amount of uncollected and deferred premiums	2,009,826.33
All other assets	161,519.97
Gross assets	$75,255,213.04
Deduct assets not admitted	$50,033.01
Total admitted assets	$75,205,180.03

LIABILITIES.

Net reserve, required by law	$37,394,022.00
Other policy reserves	8,184,155.77
Total policy claims	273,954.79
Other liabilities, including contingency reserve $1,914,431.06	8,808,560.15
	$71,661,692.71
Capital paid up	$1,100,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	2,443,487.32
Total	$75,205,180.03
Amount of ordinary business written during the year	$65,052,626.00
Amount of ordinary business written in the District of Columbia during the year	$629,487.00

J. S. HALE, Vice President.
G. W. WELLS, Jr., Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1940.
(Seal.) JAMES K. HONEY, Notary Public.

Notary Public, Hennepin County, Minn. My commission expires January 26, 1943.

R. M. PLAKE
General Agent
819 Southern Bldg. NA. 1410

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY of New York, N. Y.

On the 31st day of December, 1939, as required under Section 647 of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

INCOME.

Net premiums	$12,722,589.31
Total interest and rents	2,073,376.70
Other income	384,375.49
Total income	$15,180,341.50

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net amount paid policyholders for losses	$5,473,635.41
All other disbursements	9,457,904.99
Total disbursements	$14,931,540.40

ASSETS.

Bonds and stocks	$42,614,872.15
Cash in company's office	29,139.05
Deposits in banks	4,167,626.53
Agents' balances	2,617,618.41
Interest and rents due or accrued	131,216.00
All other assets	1,829,617.37
Gross assets	$51,390,089.51
Deduct assets not admitted	1,426,447.36
Total admitted assets	$49,963,642.15

LIABILITIES.

Net unpaid claims	$1,306,807.88
Total unearned premiums	13,146,880.64
Other liabilities	1,588,649.28
Capital paid up	8,150,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	$25,681,304.35
Total	$49,963,642.15

NET PREMIUMS WRITTEN DURING THE YEAR.

	Total	District of Columbia
Fire	$8,950,946.18	$41,322.45
Ocean marine	497,774.84	815.91
Motor vehicles	1,180,764.33	15,596.39
Earthquake	15,960.60	.....
Inland navigation and transportation	485,593.24	7,818.88
Tornado, windstorm

Nats Beat Tigers Behind Chase and Haynes, 5-2

The Washington Post Sports

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D. and H. Wins A. A. U. Crown, 36 to 34

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Orlando, Fla., March 27.—The world will probably manage to struggle along, somehow, but it apparently will be lacking a featherweight champion tomorrow, simply because Joey Archibald's signature on a contract to fight Pete Scalzo has been placed on one to fight Harry Jeffra instead.

POVICH

If you're asking who cares, which would be a very natural question, there are a few people to whom the situation is important. Chief among these seems to be Harvey L. Miller, the Voice of the National Boxing Commission, who has just played his trump card and is wondering what will fall.

Not only Mr. Miller and the N. B. A., but the fight fans of Washington have a peculiar interest in the featherweight situation. It is the only weight division of the prize ring with which Washington has ever had any championship traffic. The featherweight crown changed hands once in Washington when Petey Sarron licked Freddy Miller, and Griffith Stadium was the scene also of the last featherweight title defense—the Archibald-Jeffra affair in which Jeffra won the fight and lost the decision.

Things have been happening in the featherweight division since the October night Archibald saved his crown from Jeffra with the aid of one astigmatic judge and a horrible referee. The N. B. A. wouldn't support the District Boxing Commission in a demand for a return fight before Archibald defended his title again. Archibald got himself knocked out speedily by Scalzo in an overweight match, and last month lost another non-title bout to Jimmy Perrin, of New Orleans.

Now that the N. B. A.'s demand that Archibald sign to meet Scalzo by tomorrow has been ignored, the N. B. A. is without a champion in the only class in which it does exercise some authority.

Only in the featherweight division has the N. B. A. enjoyed great success in its effort to establish itself as the parent body of boxing.

Even the New York Athletic Commission felt it advisable to recognize the N. B. A. champ, Archibald, as world champion. In the heavyweight division, the New York body imposes its will on the Nation as far as champions are concerned, and New York has done a pretty good job of ignoring Al Hostak, the N. B. A. middleweight champ, and setting up its own titleholder. But somehow, the N. B. A. has retained power over the featherweights, perhaps because featherweights can find as big money in N. B. A. territory, as in New York.

The Archibald situation has developed one angle that borders on the ludicrous. Back in October, Al Weill, Archibald's manager, hired a lawyer and threatened court action if the D. C. Commission persisted in attempting to force Archibald into a return fight with Jeffra. Now the Archibald people are shying at a forced match with Scalzo. They even threatened legal action if the N. B. A. refused to sanction an Archibald-Jeffra match.

Archibald's change of heart toward a Jeffra match is easily explainable. Since their last affair, Scalzo has loomed so threateningly that Archibald wants no part of a title match with the New Yorker. The Archibald people found themselves hemmed in by the N. B. A. When they sought to defend their title against Perrin in New Orleans, it was only to have the Louisiana Commission, an N. B. A. affiliate, refuse to sanction that match.

Manager Weill, who has a certain persuasion with the New York Commission, obtained sanction from that body for an Archibald-Jeffra match to take place in Washington, Baltimore or Providence. But it at first appeared an empty maneuver because all three cities are affiliated with the N. B. A. and ordinarily would not permit the bout.

Maryland's change of heart, shown in its sanction of the match probably will remain forever a source of mystery. Max Waxman, who put Jack Dempsey back on his feet financially, and who now manages Jeffra, explains it by saying he couldn't show his face in Baltimore if he refused to go through with the match. Miller says it's "just one of those things." The N. B. A. president referred to the Leo Rodak-Jackie Wilson "championship" featherweight fight in Baltimore that was run off while the so-called featherweight elimination series to select championship contenders was underway in Washington. Miller recalls that the Baltimore fight was ignored, while the Washington series led to the fight between Rodak and Archibald that led to the latter's recognition as world champion.

"Anyway," writes Mr. Miller from Washington, "the New York Commission has no authority to sanction fights in places outside of New York."

In his twin battle against Archibald and the New York Commission, whose presumptuousness the N. B. A. resents in no small degree, N. B. A. President Miller has the whole-hearted aid of Petey Scalzo who is currently the biggest figure in the featherweight division despite the fact that no title graces his head.

Scalzo refused a match with Archibald in New York, according to Miller, but he refused on the grounds that he would be forced to defend the title, if he won it, under the auspices of Promoter Mike Jacobs. That defiance of Jacobs by Pete Reilly, Scalzo's manager, has won Scalzo the enthusiastic support of the N. B. A. which has long been attempting to break Jacob's monopoly on champions and now sees its first chance of success.

On the Line

With CONSIDINE

New York, March 27.—Skating down the ice floe at the Boston Garden tomorrow night, taking his knocks and cuts and trying to keep out of a fight, is a fellow who might have been a heavyweight boxing champion, a six-day bike race champion, a basketball celebrity, a track and field man of Olympic caliber, or one or two other types of champion.

CONSIDINE

He is Murray Patrick, called Muzz by his friends. He looks like Frank Merriwell, but can do more things well. He is a defense man for the New York Rangers, who are meeting the Bruins tomorrow night in the semi-interminable Stanley Cup Series. He is something less than an immortal hockey player, but he is full of fire and he's tough, and every time he races out there he gets a little better. He can't miss being a topline hockey player. Muzz couldn't have missed being anything that he wanted to be, in an athletic way, for he was born with an abundance of that extra something—that coordination and quick strength—that makes the good blokes good.

At heart he is an inoffensive guy, and prefers not to fight, for fear that the story will get around in hockey that he is a slugger. It's a bad rep to have in hockey. There are too many ways for a non-slugger to get even.

Muzz's last two scrapes were accidental. He entered them in the spirit of a peacemaker, and got the usual treatment. Last year in a Rangers-Bruins game he was trying to separate Eddie Shore and some other bully-boy of the rink. Shore took a few heavy pokes at him in the heat of the separation and, more by instinct than desire, Muzz hit him with a good right cross that broke Shore's nose and spun him into a cartwheel. It was a new note in peace-making.

This year the big peace-maker was prying apart Bill Cowley and Art Coulter, in another Rangers-Bruins game, when Mel Hill, of the Bruins, clubbed him behind the ear with his shinny stick. Mel made the pardonable mistake of thinking that Muzz was fighting, instead of effecting an armistice. Muzz didn't get sore enough to hit Mel. He just pushed him out of the way and said, "Hey, you've got the wrong guy . . ." The shove affected Hill like a man who walks absently into a propeller. Anyway, he cracked his ankle in the fall.

Hockey, to date, is the least of Patrick's achievements. He was Canada's best high school miler and half-miler, and once appeared in every event in a meet. He was the star of Canada's best semi-pro basketball team, the Victoria Blue Ribbons. He won the amateur heavyweight championship of Canada in his fourth bout, getting up off the floor twice in the first round to knock out a much more experienced man. He won the heavyweight championship of the Catholic Youth Organization tournament in 1936 at New York.

The one thing he couldn't do very well was skate, a curious failing for a Patrick. That's like a DiMaggio not knowing how to catch a baseball. For it happens that there is little or no ice in his home town of Victoria, and his father's rink burned when he was 11 years old. He didn't resume skating again until he was 18. That was 1933, and he immediately became a regular on the Westmount High team in Montreal.

In the winter of 1934-1935 the New York Rovers were organized as a so-called amateur organization, and Les Patrick brought down a skeleton team of six young Canadians. Muzz came along, but not as a player. The old man knew that no matter how natural an athlete Muzz was, he was a bad hockey player. At least he was bad for a Patrick. But the kid begged so long for a chance that Patrick finally gave in, with a curt, "all right, go out there and make a fool of yourself." Muzz did, for a while. But by 1937 he was with the minor league Ramblers and last year he came up with the big league Rangers.

He's also a notary public and is thinking of taking up golf—which should be enough to send Bud Ward to the storm cellars.

Quantrille's Shot Defeats United Typers

Post Tourney Foes Tied at Half, 19-19; Stewart Photos Win From Aces by 35-22

Clint Quantrille's long shot in the last 55 seconds of play gave Delaware & Hudson courtmen a 36-to-34 victory over United Typewriters in the unlimited finals of the District A. A. U. basketball championship tournament, sponsored by The Washington Post, last night in Heurich gym.

The Stewart Brothers Photos won the 145-pound championship, defeating the Stewart Brothers Aces, 35 to 22.

The victory for the D. & H. team avenged last year's defeat in the finals and also the loss of the Heurich League title this season.

Typos Tie Score

The eventual winners held 8 and 7 point leads at different points, but the Typos came from behind to tie the score the first time and take a 30-to-29 lead midway in the final period.

The score was knotted at 8-all at the end of the first eight minutes of play but frim this point D and H spurted to lead, 19-11. Ollie Tipton led the Typo rally that tied the score at 19-all at halftime.

"Pickles" Walker held a hot hand at the beginning of the second period and sent the D and H team ahead, 27-20, but the scoring streak changed hands and Cogar finally sent Typos ahead, 30-29.

Walker High Scorer

Tommy Nolan's foul and a field goal by Bob Smith returned the lead to the Delhuds but Cogar sent Uniteds ahead, 34-32, with little more than a minute remaining.

Smith tied it up at 34-all and set the stage for Quantrille's winning basket from near midcourt.

Walker's six field goals for 12 points led the scorers while Tipton scored one less for the losers. Quantrille's timely baskets were a big help to the new champions.

Althouga the two baskets made by Bob Smith were important, he came through with floor play near the end of the game that kept the Typers from getting a scoring chance. In the final seconds, D. and H. made four shots from midfloor and each time Smith, it was who took the ball off the backboard and heaved it out to a fellow player. Ollie Tipton played his usual brilliant game.

The Photos, considered the main team, had a slight edge over the

See TOURNEY, Page 21, Column 2.

Landis Settles Salary Dispute

By the Associated Press

Clearwater, Fla., March 27.—Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, in an unprecedented action since becoming commissioner of baseball today settled the contract dispute between the Brooklyn Dodgers and Outfielder Lindsay Deal, by establishing the amount of salary to be paid the player by the Brooklyn club.

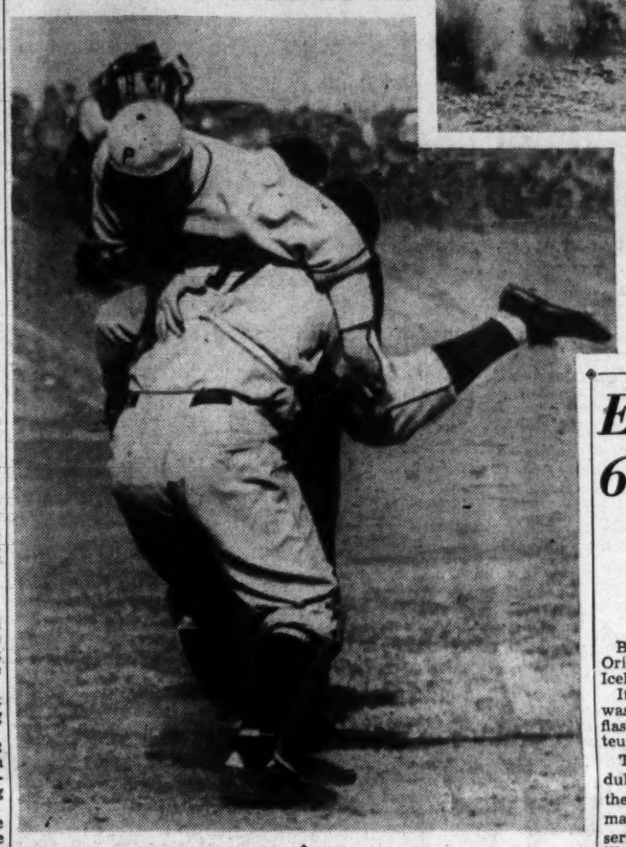
The salary was fixed at a conference between Landis and Deal in Belleair.

The Dodgers purchased Deal last year from Montreal and he reported at Ebbets Field late in the season. The Dodgers attempted to return the outfielder to the minor league club. He protested to Commissioner Landis, basing his complaint on the assertion he had not received a fair chance to make good with the Dodgers.

Hoyas Open Successfully—Penn Hits a Diamond Snag

Russ Miller, Georgetown first sacker, is shown at right reaching third yesterday as the Hoyas took a 7-4 victory over Pennsylvania. The ball slithered through Partridge's knees and Miller raced for home to score one of two runs the Hoyas took in the third inning. Lower photo—Penn's Bill McHarg picked a bad man to plow into at home plate. Catcher Castiglia is Georgetown's fullback in the football season. McHarg was out in the second-inning run-in

Post Staff Photos—Klemm.



Hogan Leads $5,000 Open At Greensboro

By the Associated Press

Greensboro, N. C., March 27.—Three inches of Carolina snow made Ben Hogan wait three days between his first and second rounds in the $5,000 Greensboro Open Golf tournament. But it didn't take a bit of the fever heat out of his game.

Having tied for the lead with a two-under-par 69 at the Starmount Forest Country Club last Saturday, he went that one better today with a 68. Thereby he pushed himself into sole possession of first place with a 137 and a margin of three strokes

See GOLF, Page 20, Column 5.

Monday Is Last Day For Nat Reservations

Edward B. Eynon, secretary of the Washington Ball Club, announced yesterday that reservations for the opening game will be held through Monday, April 1, and no longer. Holders should send a check or drop by the club offices as soon as possible.

G. U. Rallies, Beats Penn In Opener, 7-4

Spotting Pennsylvania University diamonders a four-run start in the first inning and a half, Georgetown combined the timely hitting of Joe McFadden and an equally timely abundance of bases on balls off Penn hurlers to launch its season with a 7-4 victory yesterday at Medical Field.

Four runs the Hoyas scored in the second session, sending the teams into the third with the count knotted at 4-4. Two G. U. tallies in the third and another in the eighth kept a triumph well out of Penn's reach from there in.

A banner crowd, lured by spring weather and the prospect of seeing one of Coach Joe Judge's best teams start 1940 hostilities, almost encircled the Medical School lot. But after the first inning the latter hope was almost shattered.

Costly Errors Made

Three costly errors, one lonely scratch single, and a pair of fielders' choices were mixed up in Penn's three-run splurge in the first. Russ Miller and Jules Koshlap, each with a miscue, put Third Baseman Partridge on second base. Fortune moved him up with the only hit of the stanza, McDonald got on through a fielder's choice, and then Jim Castiglia contributed another Hoya error that brought all three home.

Though Koepsell singled in the second to start the ball rolling, it wasn't until he had been shoved to third by his mates that Georgetown got a chance to help him home. Lou Ghecas made one of two miscues credited to him and Penn was out front, 4-0.

Georgetown's tying rally in the second was due solely to four walks off Pitcher Fawley, a single by McFadden, and McHarg's error. Cas-

See GEORGE, Page 25, Column 2.

Scores

COLLEGE BASEBALL

Georgetown, 7; Pennsylvania, 4.
Guilford, 10; Atlantic Christian, 0.
Richmond, 7; Davidson, 2.
Catawba, 2; Colby, 1.
Bridgewater, 16; Haverford, 1.
Randolph-Macon, 2; Delaware, 0.
Michigan State, 14; S. Carolina, 12.
La. State, 5; Minnesota, 3.
Illinois, 13; Southwestern La. Inst., 3.
Northwestern, 9; Tulane, 3.

NATIONAL WOMEN'S A. A. U. BASKETBALL (Second Round)

Quinlan, Tex., 29; Kayon, Okla., 23.
Wayside, Tex., 15; Des Moines Thompsons, 14.
St. Joseph Pony Express, 30; Modesto, Calif., 19.
Little Rock Flyers, 50; Coleman, Wis., 6.
Des Moines A. I. B., 27; Colorado Springs, 15.
Nashville Collegians, 33; Oakland, Calif., 20.
Davenport A. I. C., 36; Pittsburgh Westinghouse, 23.
St. Joseph, 30; Wolfe City, Tex., 21.

NATIONAL CATHOLIC PREP BASKETBALL

Messmer (Milwaukee), 41; Marmion Academy, 31 (first round).

AMERICAN PRO BASKETBALL (Playoff)

Troy, 30; Baltimore, 27.

EASTERN AMATEUR HOCKEY (Jackson Series)

Washington, 6; Baltimore, 2.

COLLEGE GOLF

Washington (St. Louis), 11½; Tenn., 6½.

COLLEGE TENNIS

Duke, 7; Boston U., 0.
Clemson, 6; Rutgers, 2.

Eagles Swamp Orioles, 6-2, in Cup Series

Ramsay Scores Twice as D. C. Club Extends Advantage in Battle For Mayor Howard Jackson Trophy

Special Dispatch to The Post

Baltimore, Md., March 27.—Playing like school kids of romper age the Orioles lost a sissy game of hockey to the Washington Eagles tonight at Iceland by a score of 6 to 2.

It was by far the weakest showing made by the Birds all season, and it was a far cry from the hard-boiled, aggressive brand of puck chasing they flashed in winning the Eastern Amateur League pennant.

Taking advantage of the listless, dull, and uninteresting playing of the Orioles, the Eagles took a commanding lead in the three-game series for the Mayor Jackson Cup. Washington has won two contests and now holds a 12-to-6-goal lead.

The winner will be determined on a total goal basis, and the final game will be played on the local ice Sunday night.

The Eagles got off to a lead in the first period, and were never headed. Les Ramsay scored at 3:40 of the opening round on his own rebound, and Ken Partis, with Bill Cairns and Alan Foster assisting, added another at 10:46.

Tuten and Calladine teamed up to make Baltimore's first goal, the former making the shot at 2:08 of the second period. Ramsay, scoring on a double assist by Len Burrage and Paul Courteau, gave the Eagles another point midway of the session. On a pass from Erickson, Ripley tallied the Orioles' second goal at 15:43.

Going into the final period with a single goal advantage the fans pulled in vain for the Birds to knot the count. At the fifth minute Burrage scored on a pass from Partis, and the fans began leaving later on when Foster and Burrage sent the count to 5 to 2.

When the buzzer sounded ending the game the fans filed out of the arena they were under the impression the final score was 5 to 2.

There was another goal, however. In the last few seconds of play McTeer, of Washington, and Grigor, of Baltimore, engaged in fisticuffs. Just before they started to swing toward each others chin a goal had been registered by Foster. Not until the officials reached their dressing room was the goal officially announced.

Baltimore	Position	Washington
Kelly	Goal	Colvin
Archambault	Defense	Burrage
Tuten	Defense	Davies
Calladine	Center	Ramsay
Vitarelli	Wing	Germann
Hunt	Wing	Courteau

Spares: Baltimore—Dyrie, Moe, Ripley, Erickson, Boll, Grigor, Riley, Roach. Washington—McKillop, Foster, McTeer, Knipfel Dewey, Coveri, Kuntz, Partis.

First period: Scoring—Ramsay (unassisted), 3:40; Partis (Cairns, Foster), 10:46.

Second period: Scoring—Tuten (Calladine), 2:08; Ramsay (Burrage, Courteau), 10:21; Ripley (Erickson), 15:43.

Third period: Scoring—Burrage (Partis), 5:31; Lahti (McTeer, Dewey), 18:18; Foster (Burrage), 19:59. Penalties—Germann, 5, fighting; Vitarelli, 5, fighting; Archambault, 2, hooking.

D. C. Women Golfers Lose At Pinehurst

Congressional Players Are 1st Round Victims; Jane Cothran Upset

By the United Press

Pinehurst, N. C., March 27.—Georgia Taintor, of Fargo, N. Dak., 17-year-old North Dakota State champion, pulled a sensational upset in the first round of match play of the thirty-eighth annual North-South women's golf championship today by eliminating Jane Cothran, Greenville, S. C., 1 up.

Miss Taintor, in last place in the match-play flight of 32, sank a long putt for a par 3 on the final green to defeat Miss Cothran. Her score of 80 was 14 strokes better than her opening round of 94, when she barely squeezed into the championship flight by winning a playoff among four others tied for the last position.

Two players from the Congressional Country Club, of Washington, D. C., met defeat in the first round. Mrs. E. Boyd Morrow, former Maryland State champion from Baltimore, defeated Mrs. Ivy Goetzman, 6 and 5, while Priscilla Janny, Bryn Mawr, Pa., defeated Mrs. Arnold McNitt, Congressional, 7 and 6.

Among others who won their way into the second round of match play was Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page, Chapel Hill, defending champion, who defeated Mrs. A. T. Menzel, Stamford, Conn., 9 and 8.

Jeanne Cline, 16-year-old Bloomington, Ill., high school star, won from Mrs. Jane Seawell, Carthage, N. C., 7 and 6.

Dorothy Kirby, winner of the medal defeated Mrs. James M. Robbins, Mount Kisco, N. Y., 6 and 5.

Other first round match-play winners were Jean Bauer, Providence, R. I.; Deborah Verry, Worcester, Mass.; Mrs. Thomas Nolan, Newcastle, Pa., and Mrs. T. R. Rudel, Forest Hills, Long Island.

Coach Neyland Plans New Shift For Tennessee Football Team

Experimenting After 14 Years of Success; Formations Planned

Knoxville, Tenn., March 27.—After using the same basic attack for 14 years, Head Coach Bob Neyland disclosed today he is experimenting with a shift which he may spring on University of Tennessee football opponents next fall.

"We are experimenting with a shift in spring practice," said Neyland, "but I can't say just now whether we will use it. If we do it will be something we'll toss in as a surprise.

"We also are trying out a couple of new formations. Of course, we are forever experimenting with new formations and ideas, but many are discarded after they are tested in practice."

The Tennessee shift, if it ever sees the light of day, will be something new, the Vol coach asserted.

"It isn't patterned after any shift now in use; that's about all I can say about it," he added.

Inclusion of a shift in the Tennessee attack, which operates from a single wingback to the right or left behind a balanced line, would be the first basic change in the Neyland system since the former Army engineer came here in 1926.

As an indication of the effectiveness of this system, it has produced 107 victories against 13 losses and 8 ties for Neyland, who said he devised it by borrowing a few ideas from Knute Rockne and Gil Dobie and "then mixing them up with some of my own."

"From time to time we have worked in new plays and formations, but we have about 20 plays which we have been using without change for the last ten years."

Associated Press Photo

BOB NEYLAND

This style has operated with such success that a Southern coach remarked last fall:

"You know exactly where Tennessee is going to run its plays, but they work with such precision you never know how to stop them."

Postscripts . . .

Orlando, Fla., March 27.—Clark Griffith today laughed down an offer by Detroit to deal for Buddy Lewis . . . General Manager Jack Zeller of the Tigers asked Griffith to submit a price on Lewis, naming the Detroit players he wanted . . . "Uninterested," said Griffith . . . Detroit is getting panicky at the erratic play of Frank Higgins and would use Lewis at third base if they could pry him loose from the Nats . . . Still brewing is the deal which would send Buddy Myer to the Tigers in exchange for a pitcher . . . Donald Barnes, owner of the Browns, was a guest of Griffith at the Nats-Tigers game today . . . Barnes is here ostensibly to visit his son who is a student at nearby Rollins College, but he would not turn down any chance to acquire an infielder or a catcher from the Nats . . . Hank Greenberg satisfied the 400 Orlando citizens at today's game that he will be allright as an outfielder . . . He made two brilliant plays on one batted ball in the third inning today, going far across the leftfield foul line for a running catch of Walker's hoist and then throwing to the plate to nip Wasdell when the latter tried to score from third after the catch . . . George Case was most emphatically the Nats' leadoff man today . . . he was the leadoff man each of the four times he went to the plate . . . Manager Del Baker of the Tigers is now resigned to the fact that Charley Gehringer will not be available for second base until at least a week after the season starts . . . Gehringer is still favoring his lame back . . . Gerald Walker, who bats in the clean-up spot for the Nats, has been the club's weakest hitter this spring, but Harris has no intention of demoting him in the batting order . . . Red Kress, the former Nat, now is listed as player-coach of the Tigers . . . Highly regarded by the Tigers as managerial timber, Kress is scheduled to manage Detroit's Beaumont farm team next season . . . Thus far, Rudy York has been something of a flop at first base for the Tigers . . . he has been hitting well enough, but one of the Tiger bosses today confided that "Rudy is at least two steps slower than he was last year."—POVICH.

HIGGINS

Limit Detroit To Four Hits At Orlando

Griffith Enjoys Proceedings; Chase Hero After Shaky Start; 400 See Game

By Shirley Povich.

Orlando, Fla., March 27.—In a most convincing manner, the Nats won a ball game this afternoon, licking the Detroit Tigers, 5-2, Clark Griffith, who had been wondering where his ball club's next victory was coming from, beamed his satisfaction from a box seat.

The 70-year-old owner of the Nats enjoyed the proceedings hugely as he saw: (1) His ball team snap out of a hitting slump and (2) a pair of his young pitchers hold the Tigers to four hits.

With 400 Orlando natives and tourists sitting in on the affair, Ken Chase and Joe Haynes throttled the power in the Tigers' batting order and pitched themselves into the solid affections of Manager Bucky Harris.

Chase was the hero of the proceedings despite the fact that he yielded the Tigers' three of their four hits and one of their runs in his five-inning turn. After an unsteady start in which he walked two Tigers in the first inning and allowed the run, he poured his left-handed shoots across the plate to the high satisfaction of Harris and the utter discomfiture of the Tigers.

The right-handed Haynes yielded only one hit and one run to the Detroiters in his four-inning turn, but his performance was marred by five bases on balls. And in the ninth inning he walked two batters in succession to revive Tiger hopes temporarily. But when Haynes wasn't walking batters, he was doing very well with his curve ball and a new-found fast one.

The Nats beat their old pal Buck Newsom to win the ball game. Newsom's particular tormentor was Cecil Travis, who banged out a pair of singles and a double in three times at bat. The Nats scored four of their five runs against Newsom before Bashful Buck turned over the pitching job to Rookie Clay Smith in the seventh.

Jimmy Pofahl contributed to the joy of Griffith and Harris who saw their expensive rookie shortstop wallop a triple to centerfield off Newsom in the second inning. It followed Travis' single to right and was, in turn, followed by Rick Ferrell's single to center, to set the Nats up in a 2-1 lead.

Jimmy Wasdell was the prime mover in the Nats' third run. After Case had walked in the third, Wasdell belted one of Newsom's slow balls far into left centerfield for a ground rules two-bagger. Lewis brought the run home with a tremendous fly to center.

In the sixth, Travis set the fourth Washington run in motion when he singled to left and took second while Greenberg was booting the ball around. Travis took third on Bloodworth's fly to right and scored when Ferrell's grounder was muffed by Second Baseman Red Kress.

Gerald Walker emerged from his protracted hitting slump in the eighth to bang a single to center

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'Crick' Better, Bobby Says He'll Enter Masters'

By the Associated Press

Augusta, Ga., March 27.—Satisfied that a persistent "crick in the back" is getting better steadily, Robert Tyre Jones, jr., said definitely today that he would be in there swinging when the Augusta Masters' Golf Tournament starts April 4.

JONES

The Atlanta barrister and one-time "grand slam" champion of golf came down from Atlanta today, put in several hours of practice over the Augusta National course and then told newsmen he would be ready for his annual competitive appearance.

He kept no score today but seemed satisfied with the results.

Having retired shortly after he made his sweep in 1930, Jones returns to action once each year over the course which he helpd design and in the $5,000 tournament he has helped to build into one of the Nation's outstanding competitions in the short span of six years.

The Box Score

DETROIT	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kress, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Croucher, 2b	2	1	0	3	1	0
Campbell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Secory, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McCosky, cf	3	1	1	4	0	0
Averill, lf	0	0	0	2	0	0
Greenberg, lf	2	0	1	3	1	1
York, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	0
Higgins, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Bartell, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Tebbetts, c	2	0	0	5	0	0
Newsome, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Smith, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
*Mullins	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	2	4	24	10	2

*Batted for Smith in the ninth.

WASHINGTON	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Case, rf	3	1	0	0	1	0
Wasdell, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Lewis, rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Walker, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Leip, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Travis, 3b	3	2	3	1	6	0
Quick, ss	1	0	0	1	2	1
Bloodworth, 2b	3	0	1	5	4	0
Gelbert, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pofahl, ss	2	1	1	0	0	1
Ferrell, c	3	0	1	9	0	0
Chase, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Haynes, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	5	8	27	17	2

Detroit	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2
WASHINGTON	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	x	—5

Runs batted in—Greenberg, Pofahl, Ferrell, Lewis, Bloodworth, York. Two-base hits—Greenberg, Wasdell, Travis, York. Three-base hit—Pofahl. Double plays—Greenberg to Tebbetts, Bartell to Croucher to York, Haynes to Bloodworth to Wasdell, Quick to Bloodworth to Wasdell. Left on bases—Detroit, 7; Washington, 7. First base on balls—Off Newsome, 4; off Smith, 1; off Chase, 3; off Haynes, 5. Struck out—By Newsome, 1; by Smith, 1; by Chase, 4; by Haynes, 1. Hits—Off Newsome, 6 in 7 innings—4 runs; off Smith, 2 in 1 inning—1 run; off Chase, 5 in 5 innings—1 run; off Haynes, 1 in 4 innings—1 run. Winning pitcher—Chase. Losing pitcher—Newsome. Umpires—Hubbard and Geisel. Time of game—Two hours five minutes.

Louis-Paychek to Draw $90,000 Gate Tomorrow, Jacobs Says

Believes Bout Will Outdraw Godoy Fight

Joe, Johnny Finish Training; Des Moines Fiddler Says He May Knock Out Champion

By the United Press

New York, March 27.—As Joe Louis and Johnny Paycheck completed training today, Promoter Mike Jacobs predicted that their title fight Friday night would draw at least $90,000.

"Tickets are selling so fast that the gate will be bigger than the $88,000 drawn by the Louis-Godoy fight," Jacobs said.

He was in excellent spirits because Louis and Paycheck had come through their training without suffering any injuries. Both champion and challenger boxed today and then hung up their gloves to await the Madison Square Garden gong Friday night.

Johnny Careless

Louis expects to scale 202 pounds at the Friday weighin, and Paycheck will weigh about 190.

A delegation of newspapermen went to Paychek's camp at Pompton Lakes, N. J., and watched him in his final three rounds of sparring with Bobby Fertig, of Akron, Ohio. Johnny's speed and stiff right hand were impressive, but he appeared a bit careless in leaving openings for left hooks.

In his dressing room, the semi-bald Pole from Des Moines appeared in excellent mental condition. He again declared that he was positive he would have Louis on the floor at least once and that he might knock him out.

Psychology Bug

"If the fight goes 15 rounds, I can't lose," he said.

Johnny, a former student at Chicago Normal, is a bug on psychology.

While day-dreaming yesterday, I saw a phantasy in which I hit Louis with my right and Louis then looked like a tree that had been struck with an ax," he reminisced. "The splinters flew. That's a pretty good sign, isn't it?"

Louis snapped out of his sluggishness during today's four rounds at Greenwood Lake, N. Y., and belted Clarence Brown all over the ring during their two heats. He boxed one round each with James J. Johnson and Curtis Sheppard, concentrating on speed.

Trainer Jack Blackburn said the champion was in fine condition for the fight and that he will try to knock out Paychek as soon as possible. He stressed that the Bomber will not have to worry about hurting his hands—as he did against Godoy—because Paychek fights from an upright stance.

Both fighters will do roadwork and limbering exercises tomorrow and break camp Friday morning, motoring into New York for the weigh-in.

Tow Loses By Technical Knockout

By the Associated Press

Cleveland, March 27.—Buddy Knox, Dayton, Ohio, heavyweight, scored a technical knockout over Bob Tow, of Washington, here tonight in the sixth of a scheduled ten-round bout before 5,500 fans. Knox weighed 188½ and Tow 207.

Tow, seconded by James J. Braddock, former world heavyweight champion, was outboxed virtually all the way and was floored six times in the final round before Referee Joe Sedley stopped the action at 2 minutes and 33 seconds.

In a second main event, Jimmy Reeves, 169, dusky Clevelander, ran his victory string to 13 with a ten-round decision over a former stablemate, Willie Muldune, 176. The latter substituted against his fellow townsman in place of Billy Soose, of Farrell, Pa., injured in a bout Monday. Soose had replaced Teddy Yarosz, former middleweight champion, on the card.

Reds' Squad Reduced

Tampa, Fla., March 27 (AP).—The Cincinnati Reds' squad was reduced by two today with the shipment of Rookie Hurler Lloyd Dietz to the Pittsburgh Pirates on waivers and resale to Indianapolis of Outfielder Milt Galatzer.

No. 8—Rock Creek

'The Hardest Hole on the Course'

By Merrell W. Whittlesey

Al Price Selects Third on B Course As Rock Creek's Best

This is another of a series on the 19 golf clubs in Metropolitan Washington, where the professional selects the hardest hole on the course. The twentieth and concluding story will deal with the hardest of the lot, from a consensus of opinion.

Post Staff Photo—Del Vecchio.

This is a familiar site on the long third hole of "B" course, judged the toughest of the uptown public links course by Pro Al Price. Donald Sullivan played his second shot from the woods on the right-hand side of the fairway while (left to right) Bill Waggaman, Al Price and Pat Kane watch for the results

If you took a consensus of opinion of Rock Creek's 75,000 golfers last year as to the hardest hole on the course, the answer would doubtless be a conglomeration with every hole having its backers.

But left up to Club Professional Al Price, who has played a shot from every blade of grass of the hilly uptown layout, it is the third hole on "B" course by a comfortable margin.

For those of you who have not bucked Rock Creek's multiple hazards for a year or two, the present third on "B" is the old seventh hole on "B," but nothing has been changed except the number.

The hole in question is a slight dog-leg, winding 435 yards downhill but the green gives the appearance of being off to itself and presents a real mental hazard for the second shot.

For the first 325 yards, woods reach out on left and right for the slightest variation from the straight and narrow. The fairway slopes to the woods on the righthand side, and in attempting to keep away the golfer often pulls the drive into the trees on the left.

The second shot calls for anything from a wood to a five-iron, and there is a premium on accuracy. Without traps and with no out of bounds, the long par four would appear to be on the easy side but the contour of the ground is bound to kick the ball away on anything but a perfect shot.

Missing the green leaves you with just a simple chip shot, but after looking from the tee into the fairway that appears to be about 10 feet wide, and then glancing at the green on its precarious perch, 90% of Rock Creek's golfers would be well satisfied with a second shot that was a few feet off line.

The tenth hole, a 406-yard number with a blind second shot was the second choice of Club Pro Price while the only hole on "A" that causes trouble is the fourth, where your drive may be anywhere from the second tree to the Zoo if you don't bang a straight one.

Nearly two-thirds of the golf holes at Rock Creek are cut between woods but the third on B course requires a little finer tee shot than the rest or it is trouble, as in the accompanying picture.

Rock Creek's regulars play the second shot with a little of their own finesse, from years of practice. It's just a pitch and run, but if you play it often enough you get to know the various kicks.

The following hole is cut along somewhat the same lines, but is 16 yards longer and uphill and the card allows five strokes to get in the cup.

Due to the heavy play on the course Manager Cleve Miller has little opportunity to stage tournaments, but if he is able to get around to a match play event you can bet the fewest pars will be on the third hole of "B" course.

Eastern States Tourney Draw Is Announced

Newport, R. I., March 25 (AP).—Officials of the Eastern States Catholic Interscholastic Basketball Tournament, which starts Thursday, today announced the draw for the eight teams.

Mount St. Michael High, of New York, will oppose Good Counsel High, of Newark, N. J.; St. Peter's High, of New Brunswick, N. J., will engage St. Basil's High, of Pittsburgh; De La Salle High, of Newport, will play Msgr. Coyle High, of Taunton, Mass., and St. Xavier High, of Louisville, Ky., will meet St. John's High, of Worcester, Mass.

Boys Club Workers to See Fights Tonight

Campaigners to Meet At Willard; Boxing, Wrestling on Program

Boxing, tumbling and wrestling will be a part of the program of the Police Boys Club rally of 588 campaign workers at the large ballroom of the Willard Hotel tonight when the city-wide solicitors receive their final instructions from Campaign Chairman Mack L. Langford and President Morris Cafritz.

Another feature of the pep-meeting will be the showing of the Technicolor films of the Boys Club camp at Scotland, Md., with the club founder, Maj. Ernest W. Brown, chairman of the D. C. Boxing Commission, acting as commentator. Admission will be by card only.

85-POUND CLASS—Stevie Arduini, Silver Gloves champion, 1937, vs. Johnnie Arduini, Police Boys Club 85-pound champion.

100-POUND CLASS—Ray Brown, Junior Golden Gloves champion, 1937-1938, vs. B. Gross, present 100-pound champion of Club No. 5.

126-POUND CLASS—Paul Coakley, Junior Golden Gloves champion, 1937, vs. Charles Petro, District of Columbia Golden Gloves semifinalist, 1940.

135-POUND CLASS—Kenny Swan, finalist, D. C. A. A. U., 1939 tournament vs. Tony DiToto, Junior Golden Gloves champion, 1936, and D. C. A. A. U. champion, 1938.

112-POUND CLASS—Danny Petro, Golden Gloves champion, 1935, 1936 and 1937, and present 112-pound champion, A. A. U. and Golden Gloves, vs. George DeZerne, finalist in 1939 D. C. A. A. U. tournament.

D. C. Colored Collegiates Meet Union U.

Game Monday to Help Drive for Equipment Of Banneker School

In an effort to aid the Parent-Teachers Association of Bannaker Junior High School, and its money-raising project for the purchase of new equipment, the Community Center and Playgrounds Department will sponsor one of the outstanding colored basketball games of the season on April 1 at the school gym.

The Recreation Collegiates, local team which has mopped up most of its competition, will meet Virginia University's C. I. A. A. champions. Two of the fastest and most prolific scorers in this section will be opposed in the Collegiates' Wilmeth Sidat-Singh and "Soupy" Campbell, of the invaders.

In addition to these stars, each team boasts stellar players in all positions. The local five was chosen at the first of the year from the best talent in this vicinity. Virginia Union has captured its collegiate title for the last three years.

Turkey Thompson Beats Yarosz in California

Los Angeles, March 27 (AP).—Gunning for a shot at the world middleweight title, Turkey Thompson, 166, Los Angeles, won a 10-round decision last night over former Champion Teddy Yarosz, 170, Pittsburgh.

Pat Comiskey To Second McDowell Here

Irish Heavyweight To Help Stablemate Against Phil Furr

Pat Comiskey, the brawny Irish lad who may be the next world's heavyweight champion, will come to town Monday to lend moral support to his stablemate, Wild Bill McDowell, when Bill steps up to try to stop Phil Furr's comeback campaign.

Big Pat also will have a talk with Promoter Joe Turner about coming back to Washington to meet the winner of the Jorge Brescia-Buddy Scott heavyweight bout which will be staged April 8.

The 21-year-old Irishman may get the call to headline Turner's first big outdoor show next month.

Along with his manager, Bill Daly, who also handles McDowell, Comiskey will work in the curly-haired youth's corner Monday night.

The McDowell-Furr affair promises to hit a new high for Turner and Gabe Menendez. McDowell, a proven puncher and clever ring stylist, has won three straight matches here since Daly shipped him down from New York.

Furr, with eight straight triumphs behind him and a new hold on the National Boxing Association's No. 8 rating, is the cleverer of the two, but he'll have to be on his toes every minute to keep out of the way of McDowell's knockout offerings.

British Censor Extends 'Hello' To Max Schmeling

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Berlin, March 27.—Occasionally the British censor displays a sense of humor, as revealed tonight by Max Schmeling, who was amused to receive a long, overdue letter from the United States bearing a message from some unknown admirer, with "Hello Max" inscribed on the envelope by the censor.

SCHMELING

During a recent visit to Madrid the German ring idol required the services of an interpreter at his hotel. The only functionary available proved to be an English porter who, Schmeling told American newspapermen tonight, performed the services with complete impartiality and with every courtesy.

Md. Limits Non-State Anglers' Trout Season

Neighboring States' Sportsmen Will Be Barred From Maryland Streams Until Fishing Season Opens in Own State

By the Associated Press

Baltimore, March 27.—Because of a little known phrase in a Maryland law, sportsmen in neighboring States will be barred from Maryland's trout streams until the fishing season opens in their own States, it was disclosed today.

The law, apparently passed to give Marylanders first chance at the trout, will limit residents of West Virginia, Virginia and Pennsylvania, all of which have fishing seasons opening later than in Maryland.

The Maryland season opens April 1, but the western Maryland streams noted for their trout will be closed to West Virginians until April 27, to Virginians until April 20 and to Pennsylvanians until April 15.

That means residents of those States who purchase the $5.50 licenses for the privilege of fishing Maryland waters will have to concede the homestate boys a head start. District of Columbia residents, however, would not be affected since Washington has no fishing season.

The State game and inland fish commission's initial stocking program was completed today when about 500 trout were released in streams in Prince Georges, Montgomery and Carroll counties.

More than 30,000 trout have been placed in streams throughout the State. More will be released periodically until the season ends.

Jacobs Answers Joe Gould's Suit In Supreme Court

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—Mike Jacobs, boxing promoter, today in supreme court charged that Joe Gould, manager of Jimmy Braddock, "was not skillful in the performance and services required of him" in answer to a breach of contract action for $104,201.64 brought by Gould.

Gould bases his suit on an alleged breach of a contract which made him an assistant to Jacobs in any heavyweight title matches to be arranged for a ten-year period beginning July 1, 1937.

The manager of the former heavyweight champion charged Jacobs broke the contract in July, 1938, and only paid Gould about $20,000. Jacobs claimed in his answer he obtained a release from Gould when he paid that sum.

Gould's claim is based on the nine title defenses Louis has made as champion, and from which, he says, Jacobs has made a profit of about $600,000.

Golden Terror, Unmasked, to Meet Joe Cox

Baby-Faced Matman In Turner's Arena Feature Exhibition

Unaccustomed as he is to having his face exposed to the curious stares of the crowd, the Golden Terror, otherwise known as Bob Weatherley, will step out again tonight at Turner's arena without his mask to do battle with Joe Cox in the feature wrestling exhibition.

The Terror unmasked two weeks ago for the first time here in two years, bringing to an end a slightly rancid mystery as to his identity. He appeared as a hulking groan artist with a round, baby-face minus several upper and lower teeth—hardly anything terrifying to behold.

Just to make certain The Terror will not try to go back to his old ways, Shorty, the arena janitor, burned his black hood yesterday. The Terror, however, sticks to his mustard-colored uniform.

The supporting cast of groan artists features Warren Bockwinkle against Don Evans, Tommy O'Toole against Jack Russell, Hymie Olson against Jack Lutz and Jim Austeri versus Abie Stein.

'Rusty' Riggs Signs With Detroit Grid Lions

Tempe, Ariz., March 27 (AP).—Noble (Rusty) Riggs, 205-pound all-conference guard and co-captain of Arizona State Teachers College, 1939 Border Conference championship eleven, said today he had signed a contract to play football next fall with the Detroit Lions, of the National Professional League. Riggs said he declined offers of the Chicago Bears and Cleveland Rams.

Hogan Leads $5,000 Open At Greensboro

Guldahl and Sarazen Trail by Three Strokes; Leader Adds 68 to 69

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over Gene Sarazen and Ralph Guldahl.

"Hogan is hot" would be rank understatement. He has missed only one green in his last 36 holes. He was out in 34 and back in the same, shooting three birdies and 15 pars and even saving his pars on the hole where he missed the carpet.

Except for one thing, it was pretty much of a Hogan day, just as there were three of them during the North-South championship Ben won at Pinehurst last week. The exception was furnished by Guldahl, who, in the last threesome of the day, fired a 67 that was the best score of the tournament to put him in a good spot to try to repeat the victory he scored last year.

Gudahl started with a par and two birdies on the first three holes. He three-putted No. 6 for his only bogey; misplayed No. 7, but saved his par, put his tee shot 6 feet from the pin and sank the putt for a deuce on No. 8, and reached the turn in 33, two under standard figures.

There wasn't even the slightest error on the back nine. A 10-foot putt on the fourteenth, and getting home in two on the eighteenth gave the two-time open champion birdies on both these par fives to bring him in in 34.

Tomorrow's final 36 holes for first money of $1,200 will be played at the Sedgefield Country Club. The tourney promoters, happy to see a crowd of 2,500 out today, still may break even despite delay forced by Easter snow.

Ben Hogan, White Plains	69	68—137
G. Sarazen, Brookfield Center	71	69—140
Ralph Guldahl, Chicago	73	67—140
Craig Wood, Marmaroneck	70	72—142
Johnny Bulla, Chicago	72	70—142
Ky Laffoon, Miami, Okla.	72	72—144
Johnny Revolta, Evanston, Ill.	74	70—144
Byron Nelson, Toledo, Ohio	73	71—144
Paul Runyan, White Plains	73	72—145
C. Heafner, Linville, N. C.	69	76—145
Ed Oliver, Hornell, N. Y.	73	72—145
Herman Keiser, Akron, Ohio	74	72—146
C. Harper, Portsmouth, Va.	70	76—146
Tony Manero, Peabody, Mass.	72	74—146
Jack Helms, Charlotte, N. C.	70	76—146
Frank Walsh, Rumson, N. J.	74	72—146
Jug McSpaden, Winchester	73	73—146
Ed Burke, Osterville, Mass.	77	70—147
Willie Goggin, San Francisco	74	73—147
Leonard Dodson, Kansas City	75	73—148
Horton Smith, Chicopee, Mass.	73	75—148

Eagle Courtmen Start Heavy Road Schedule Today

Away from its home courts for the first time this season, American University tennis squad starts a heavy grind today when it meets Catawba College at Salisbury, N. C.

Tomorrow the Eagle netmen move to Elon, N. C., for a meeting with the collegiates of that city, and Saturday the team takes on Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington, Va.

Members of the team, according to an announcement by Coach Bill Holton, will be: No. 1, Bud Fausold; No. 2, Hal Landsman, and No. 3, Ernie Webb. Five others—Latimer Evans, Lester Boykin, Dick Bond, Ernest McCarthy and Harry Neilsen—will make the trip.

Mid-Atlantic Golfers To Meet at Rolling Road

Middle Atlantic pro golfers will meet at the Rolling Road course in Catonsville Monday for a combined pro-pro tourney and meeting. The season's schedule will be drawn in the meeting at 11 a. m.

Partners will be drawn in the pro-pro sweeps in the afternoon. Final plans will be made for the sectional P. G. A. championship April 26-27 at Old Point Comfort, Va.

Costello to Drill

Costello Post, of the American Legion, will stage practices each day this week at Rosedale Playground at 5 p. m. and on Saturday at 2 p. m. All players have been asked to attend.

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Problem for Today—Where Did You Get That Shiner, John?

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Could it be that Johnny forgot to duck a sparring partner's offering? From the looks of Johnny Paychek's slightly discolored right eye we'd say yes. He's stabbing a left at a punching bag here as he rounds out his training for the date tomorrow with Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis in Madison Square Garden. Johnny is working at Pompton Lakes, N. J.

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Yankees Beat Kansas City, 4-3, Behind Ruffing and Gomez

White Sox Defeat A's, Browns Bow

175 Customers—Smallest Crowd Ever, Sees New York Play In Haines City, Fla.

By the Associated Press

Haines City, Fla., March 27.—Tommy Henrich, young Yankee outfielder who is trying desperately to win a regular berth, strengthened his chances today with a game-winning triple in the eighth to give the world champions a 4-3 decision over their Kansas City farmhands.

Frankie Crosetti and Red Rolfe were on base at the time Tommy struck his blow. Charley Ruffing and Lefty Gomez shared the mound duties for the winners, with Ruffing doing the best, allowing but four hits in the five innings he toiled.

Only 175 persons witnessed the game—the smallest crowd ever to see the Yanks perform anywhere.

New York (A)	000 000 130	4	8	1
Kansas City (AA)	000 001 200	3	7	1

Ruffing, Gomez and Dickey; Lindell, Gill, Moran and Riddle. Winning pitcher—Gomez. Losing pitcher—Gill.

White Sox Beat A's

Hollywood, Calif., March 27.—The Chicago White Sox beat the Philadelphia Athletics, 3 to 2, behind the six-hit pitching of Thornton Lee, Jess Dobernic and Clint Brown today.

The Sox scored twice in the fourth on singles by Jack Hayes and Joe Kuhel, followed by Moose Solters' double. What proved to be the winning run came in the fifth on successive singles by Bob Kennedy, Mike Tresh and Hayes.

The A's scored in the first on Wally Moses' triple, and in the sixth on Fred Chapman's two-bagger.

Philadelphia (A)	100 001 000	2	6	0
Chicago (A)	000 210 00x	3	8	1

Beckman, Mitchell and F. Hayes; Lee, Dobernic, Brown and Tresh, Silvestri.

Chicago (N) vs. Pittsburgh (N), at Los Angeles, canceled, wet grounds.

Missions Stop Browns

Laredo, Tex., March 27. — An eighth-inning rally of five hits off Eldon Auker gave the San Antonio Missions a 5-to-2 victory over the St. Louis Browns here this afternoon. It was the Browns' first defeat in their last nine exhibition games.

Four singles, a wild pitch and a walk were followed by Springer's home run to break a 3-0 lead the major leaguers held after seven innings.

Alan Strange clouted a homer for the Browns in the fifth, his second hit of the game.

St. Louis (A)	002 010 000	3	7	1
San Antonio (Tex.)	000 000 05x	5	9	1

Kennedy, Auker and Harshany; Cordell, Nethery and Payton, Hoffman. Homers—Strange, Springer. Winning pitcher—Nethery. Losing pitcher—Auker.

Pirates Get Dietz

Los Angeles, March 27.—Although the Chicago Cub-Pittsburgh Pirate exhibition game officially was rained out today (attendance has been poor this season on the Coast for the majors) Manager Frankie Frisch ran his entire buccaneer squad through a long workout on the wet but sun-drenched Wrigley Field.

The Pirates learned they had obtained by waiver from Cincinnati Pitcher Lloyd Dietz, one of the farmhands of the Detroit Tigers made a free agent last winter by Commissioner K. M. Landis. They bid for his services but he decided to sign with Cincinnati because he lives across the river in Newport, Ky.

No basis could be found here tonight for a persistent report that Paul Waner might be traded to the Cincinnati Reds.

Cubs to Start Home

Los Angeles, Calif., March 27.—Wet grounds forced cancellation of today's exhibition game between Chicago's Cubs and the Pittsburgh Pirates, leaving the Cubs only one more game in California before they start the trek homeward via Arizona and Texas.

The Bruins meet their city rivals, the White Sox, in the sixth engagement between the two here tomorrow. The National Leaguers have won three of the five games played. Bill Lee and Dick Bass were tomorrow's hurling nominees for the Cubs.

Bees Drop Rookies

Bradenton, Fla., March 27.—Cold weather prevented the Boston Bees from going through their off-day workout today, but the respite gave a dozen or so rookies an opportunity to pack their belongings before heading for minor league farm teams.

Bob Coleman, manager of the Evansville, Ind., farm departed after lining up his squad, which will join him there over the week-end, and Jack Onslow, New Hartford, Conn., pilot, headed for his training camp at Owensboro, Ky., accompanied by a flock of rookies who have been training here since February 19.

Giants Cut Squad

Winter Haven, Fla., March 27.—With their game against the Cincinnati Reds at Tampa rained out, Manager Bill Terry, of the Giants, today started dividing the "sheep from the goats"—and five youngsters were farmed out.

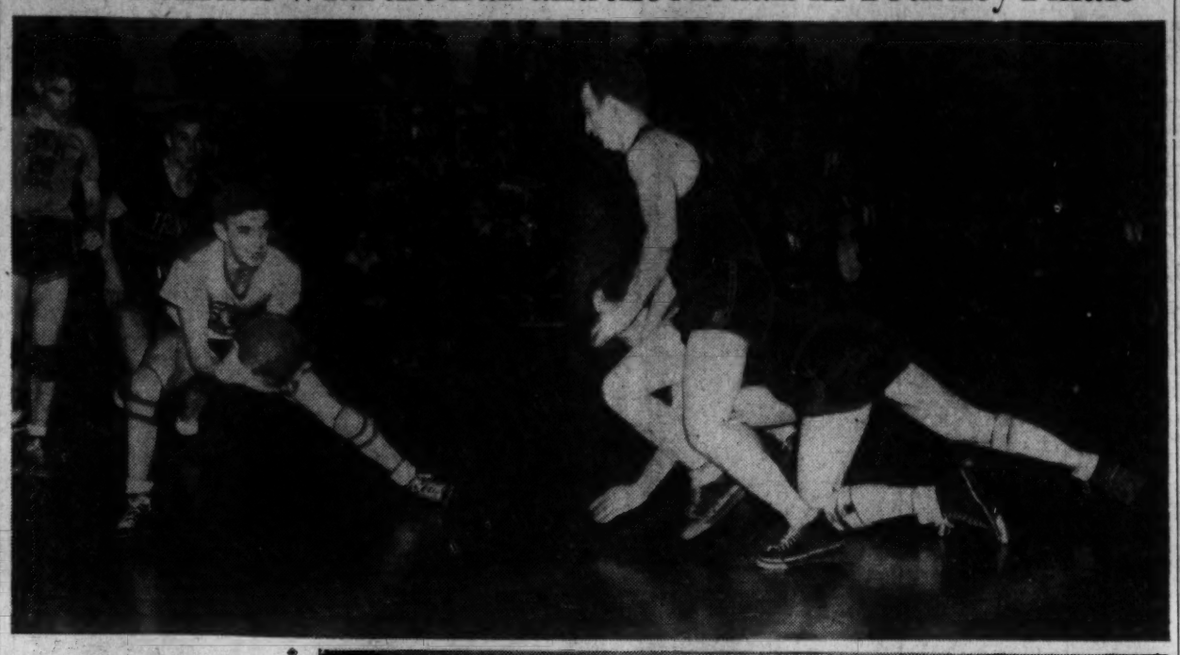
Pitcher Bob Carpenter went to Knoxville, Johnny Wittig and Manny Salvo went to Jersey City, and Pitchers Tom Gorman and George Bausewein were farmed to Clinton, Iowa.

Medwick to Play

Miami, Fla., March 27.—Rained out of an exhibition game here today, the St. Louis Cardinals departed for Havana tonight for four contests before heading back North for the opening season.

Manager Ray Blades said he planned to use Joe Medwick, star outfielder who just came to terms last night, an inning or two at Havana, but would devote most of the time to batting practice for Joe.

The Delhuds With the Ball and the Medals in Tourney Finale



Post Staff Photo

At top—Tommy Folliard, of D. and H., holds ball in thrilling closing stages of last night's Post tournament thriller. Behind him are Tommy Nolan (left), a teammate, and Coggie Cogar, of United Typewriters. At right (foreground) is Ollie Tipton with Stanton behind him. Below—Joe Bertolini, chairman of the A. A. U. basketball committee, presenting the medals. The Coalmen also won The Washington Post Trophy. Left to right (front row) the players are Clinton Quantrille, Bob Smith, Tommy Folliard, Acky Viana, Gerald Burns. Rear row—Tommy Nolan, Pickles Walker, Bobby Lucas

Post Tourney Crown Won By D. and H.

United Typewriters Bow, 36-34; Photos Defeat Aces, 35-22

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smaller Aces from start to finish. The size of the Photos bothered their rivals and Berry, a tall center, accounted for 16 points. Lowell Keagy again was brilliant for the Aces and scored 10 points. The three Poston boys were held to a total of four points.

The Photos had an 8-6 lead at the end of the quarter, stretched it to 16-10 at the half and then kept about the same margin, 22-17, at the end of three quarters.

UNLIMITED CLASS (Final)

D. and H.	G	FG	P	United Type.	G	FG	P
Lucas,f	2	1	5	Stanton,f	1	1	3
Folliard,f	0	0	0	Sullivan,f	1	0	2
Burns,f	1	0	2	Cogar,f	2	0	4
Nolan,f	0	2	2	Mills,c	2	2	6
Quantrille,c	4	0	8	Hancock,g	4	0	8
Viana,g	1	1	3	Tipton,g	5	1	11
Walker,g	6	0	12				
Smith,g	2	0	4	Totals	15	4	34
Totals	16	4	36				

Referee—Shirley.

145-POUND CLASS (Final)

Stew. Br. A.	G	FG	P	Stew. Br. Ph	G	FG	P
Keagy,f	4	2	10	Loube,f	2	1	5
Colton,f	2	1	5	Elliott,f	0	0	0
Hall,f	0	0	0	Saffron,f	1	1	3
R.Poston,c	0	2	2	Berry,c	6	4	16
B.Poston,c	0	0	0	Collins,c	3	0	6
J.Poston,g	1	0	2	Tnenbaum,g	0	0	0
Capone,g	0	1	1	Miller,g	2	0	4
Sparacini,g	0	2	2	Dellinger,g	0	0	0
				Placos,g	0	1	1
Totals	7	8	22	Totals	14	7	35

Referee—Shirley. Umpire—Swigny.

Nat'l Badminton Play Opens Today

Seattle, March 27 (AP).—With 109 matches scheduled the first day, the National Badminton Tournament opens at the new Armory at 9 a. m. (noon, Eastern standard time) tomorrow.

Two ranking women stars play in early first-round matches. One is Helen Gibson, of Westport, Conn., seeded No. 1 since the defending champion, Mary Whittemore, of Boston, is unable to play because of an injured ankle.

The other is Patricia Donovon, of Buffalo, listed No. 8 nationally. Miss Gibson opens against Doris Deacon, Seattle; Miss Donovan plays Virginia Neaton, Seattle.

Dave Freeman, Pasadena, Calif., defending men's champion, plays Charley Petty, San Francisco, and Walt Kramer, Detroit, from whom Freeman won last year's title, clashes with Jim Paull, Seattle.

Eddie Simms Wins Over Jim McVey

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 27 (AP).—With a 20-pound weight advantage, Eddie Simms, Cleveland heavy weight, swarmed over Sunny Jim McVey, Pittsburg Negro, and scored a knockout in the second of a scheduled ten-round bout here tonight.

McVey, floored in the first round, tried to dance and duck his way out of danger but Simms caught up with him in 55 seconds of the second round and sank a left hook to the solar plexus to end the McVey 179.

Table Tennis Entries To Close Tonight

The tournament committee of the D. C. Table Tennis Association has set tonight as the deadline for entries to the annual tourney staring Saturday at Heurich gym.

Junior and women's play will launch play Saturday at 2 p. m., men's nonchampionship matches will be staged at 3:30 and men's doubles and singles will be played at 7:30 and 9 o'clock, respectively.

Schaefer Back In 3d Place In 3-Rail Play

By International News Service

Chicago, March 27.—Willie Hoppe, of New York, shooting one of the best games of his entire career, tonight won his twelfth straight game in the world 3-cushion billiard championship tournament and appeared almost certainly to have the title cinched.

He completely swamped Arthur Thunblad, of Kenosha, Wis., former angle champion, 50 to 21, in as few as a 25 innings as has been seen on the green baize in many years. He came within two innings of the world tournament best game mark of 23 innings held by Johnny Layton.

By the Associated Press

Chicago, March 27.—Young Jake Schaeffer, of Cleveland, regained third place in the world three-cushion billard tournament today with an impressive 50-to-24 victory over New York's Art Rubin.

In registering his seventh triumph in 12 starts, Schaefer clicked off a high run of 13, second only to Tiff Denton's record equaling 17, and the fourth best game of the tournament, 35 innings.

It was Rubin's twelfth setback in 15 games.

Schaefer—111, 330, 120, 001 020, 001, 000, 501, 01(13), 203, 142, 02—50. High run, 13; innings, 35.

Rubin—200, 012, 000, 000, 000, 000, 003, 250, 400, 111, 101, 0—24. High run, 5; innings, 34.

Denton, Kansas City entry, continued brilliant play by defeating Welker Cochran, of San Francisco, 50 to 38, in 49 innings.

The loss dropped Cochran from third to fifth place with a record of seven victories and six defeats. Denton has won seven and lost eight.

2 Phillies Players Optioned to Baltimore

Miami Beach, Fla., March 27 (AP).—Rain washed out the Phillies' scheduled exhibition with the St. Louis Cardinals. But Manager Prothro did his daily bit by announcing the optioning of Catcher Joe Kracker and Infielder Charley Letchas to Baltimore's International League Club. Kracher played with Selma and Letchas with Chattanooga last year.

Giants May Make Deal for Riggs

By the Associated Press

Tampa, Fla., March 27—If General Manager Warren Giles of the Cincinnati Reds and Bill Terry, of the Giants, get together in a day or two—and there were reports today that they might—don't be surprised if they turn up with a third base-outfield deal.

A game between the two teams was called off today because of rain and a raw wind, but the hot-stove league functioned full blast with reports that "Mebane Lew" Riggs, Reds utility third sacker, was the subject of new overtures.

It's no secret that Terry has had his eyes on the North Carolinian as a possible successor to Mel Ott, George Myatt, Tom Hafey and a flock of others who took turns there last year after the veteran Lou Chiozza broke his leg.

Terry's trouble at third paralleled Bill McKechnie's leftfield problem and there were hints the pair might come up with a mutually advantageous deal.

The name of Jo-Jo Moore was heard among possible "baits."

Otherwise, the day saw the Cincinnati training squad pared by two. Lloyd Dietz, with Toledo last year, was sent on waivers to the Pittsburgh Pirates, and Milton (Mike) Galatzer, up from Indianapolis, was resold to that club.

Bonura-Washington Movement Gaining

Orlando, Fla., March 27.—The Bonura-to-Washington movement, originated by Zeke Bonura and led vigorously by Zeke Bonura, apparently was gaining headway tonight.

The big, bumptious first baseman who is a Giant holdout and unwanted by Manager Bill Terry, again took the stump tonight and addressed another appeal to Clark Griffith, owner of the Nats.

Bonura, who has been traveling back and forth between the Giants' camp at Winter Haven and the Nats' Orlando base, told newspapermen before going into conference with Griffith today:

"I've got a new proposition that Mr. Griffith can't turn down."

After a long session with Bonura, Griffith appeared to be wavering in his original stand against the big first baseman. A week ago he had declared that he was completely uninterested in acquiring Bonura.

"I told Zeke I couldn't make any deal for him until the Giants had obtained National League waivers," said Griffith. "Zeke will have to find out what his status is before we can talk seriously."

Griffith admitted that "we might use Bonura against left-handed pitching."

Neither Bonura nor the Nats' owner would divulge the "new proposition" that Bonura had submitted to the Washington club, but it is believed that the Giants have come down in their original demands for the $7,500 waiver price and two ball players. Reports are that the Giants are now asking only the waiver price and one ball player suitable for their Jersey City farm—either Shortstop Hal Quick or Second Baseman Eddie Leip, Washington rookies.

Luncheon Honors Eagles and Coach

Coach Redvers Mackenzie and his Washington Eagles ice hockey aggregation, will be honored at a "farewell" luncheon today at 12:30 p. m. at a ice hockey and boxing writers luncheon at the Stables.

Mackenzie is expected to disclose plans for next season, and Matchmaker Jimmy Erwin will discuss the impending boxing season at Riverside Stadium, which opens April 10 with a ten-round fight between Steve Mamakos and Izzy Jannazzo, two of the top-ranked welterweights in the Nation.

Peewees Come Through

The Blandensburg Peewees took 9-6 victory over a Waldorf (Md.) nine Tuesday on the strength of two homers by Joe Gauzza and the hurling of "Hots" Rohrback.

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Miss Gulli Boosts D. C. Pin Average

Gains on Lucy Rose With Set of 389; Strike Five Wins 2

Lorraine Gulli picked up 48 sticks on Lucy Rose in the District Ladies League high average race last night rolling 389 to 341 for Mrs. Rose, who still leads by a narrow margin.

Lucky Strike rolled game of 589 and set of 1,689 in winning two from Arcadia while Arcade-Pontiac upset the leading Rosslyn team, two out of three. Annetta Matthews was high for Arcade with 124—342, while Evelyn Naylor topped the leaders with 150—349

NORTHEAST TEMPLE

Norman Viehmeyer and "Specs" Brewer tied with 400 sets in the Temple Minor League at Northeast Temple alleys, the former including a 156 game in his count. Frank's Tavern led the team scores with a 1,722 set.

PETWORTH

A trio of 400 sets were rolled in Petworth League matches last night, Lou Jenkins posting 405, Elmer Gusach, 403, and Henry Miller 402. Biggest game was a 154 by Bill Clampit. The leading Soller's Plumbers totaled a 1,754 team set while the best game was a 623 by Little Tavern, which accounted for two games over Wonder Bread.

LUCKY STRIKE

With a triple-header strike included in seven marks, Bill Cox set a new season's record in the Graphic Arts League at Lucky Strike, a 173 game. His National Capital Press team had a 617 game, second high for the season.

Lucy Owen rolled high game and set of 137 and 329 in the Ladies Eastern Star League while her Washington Centennial Team posted team totals of 525 and 1,491 in winning two from Martha. Bess Ackman returned to the high scorer's role with a 135 game and 319 set.

Ann Smith, captain of the Commerce team and Lucky Strike Ladies League scorer, rolled a 316 set as her teammates came through with 497 and 1,467 team honors, and blanked FAA, No. 2. Mrs. Corella Bageaft had a 119 game. Strikettes upset the leading MIN team.

John Dege's 211 game was tops in the Naval Tool Designers Ten-Pin League at Lucky Strike. Cruisers won three from Submarines and climbed out of last place.

ICE PALACE.

Despite high individual marks of 155 and 385 by Chuck Kline, Southern lost an odd game decision to Accounting in the C. and P. Telephone League. Southern also had high team game of 607, while Commercial rolled a 1,740 for team set.

Michigan virtually clinched the league title when it won all three of its games from Construction.

Paced by S. Wolfe, Wolfe Motors took three games from the All-Stars in the Automotive League. The leader turned in 154 and 409. Arcade Pontiac swept team honors with 613 and 1,755.

Heurich League To Have Banquet

The Heurich Amateur Basketball League will hold a banquet at the gymnasium Wednesday night, April 3, starting at 7 o'clock. All players and managers of teams in the league this year are invited. The United Typewriters won the 1940 championship with Delaware and Hudson in the runner-up position.

Wilmer Allison, Van Ryn Return To Tennis Wars; Will Seek Title

Wilmer Praises Bobby Jones as Real Amateur Sportsman

By the Associated Press

Dallas, Tex., March 27.—Outspoken Wilmer Allison, a spry "old man" in his middle thirties who once ruled the American Tennis roost, confided today:

1. The team of Allison and Johnny Van Ryn, abdicated kings of doubles tennis, probably would seek their old national title this summer.

2. Don Budge and Ellsworth Vines, on a day, are better than Big Bill Tilden ever was.

3. Bobby Riggs had better learn to play the net.

4. Not since Bobby Jones has there been a real sportsman in amateur golf or tennis.

"There isn't a good doubles team in the country at present," Allison said. "If Johnny and I played only fairly well we would have a chance to win the national doubles title—we think."

Beat Hare and Kamrath

The Wimbledon, Davis Cup and national champions of a few years ago still teaming together in an Austin brokerage office, unpacked their rackets a few days ago, stroked out an easy, straight set triumph over Charles Hare, second ranking English player, and Bobby Kamrath, University of Texas star.

Allison asserted:

"There are more good tennis players in this country now than ever before. All this hue and cry about the old greats is a lot of bosh.

"Budge or Vines, on a day, are better than Tilden ever was. Sure, Tilden stood out in those days, head and shoulders above the rest—but he never had a match until he got to the final rounds in most of those tournaments.

"To win now, you've got to be good every day—and still have enough left for the final round."

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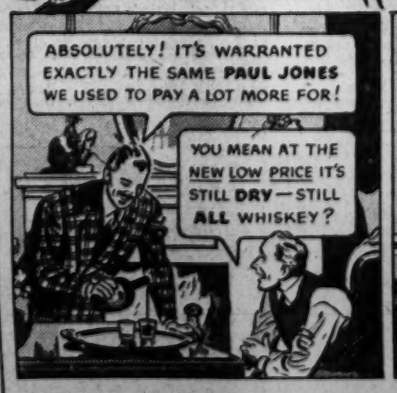
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Peon, $9.30 Shot, Wins Tropical Feature Over Sloppy Track

Colt Defeats Floragina in Sprint Race

Short Cake Third; Rain Keeps Down Attendance, Betting; Valdina Lass Wins

By the Associated Press

Tropical Park, Fla., March 27.—Racing through a steady, thin rain and over a track deep in slop, O. L. Foster's Peon accounted for the featured Indian River purse, a six-furlong dash for smart platers, here this dreary afternoon. The son of Petee-Wrack-Eagleton, a $9.30 for $2 shot in the small field, drove home by three-quarters of a length in 1:12 3-5. Mrs. H. O. Simmons' Floragina, the favorite, was an easy second, five lengths clear of W. F. Mannagh's Short Cake.

Peon recently returned here from a campaign in Havana and finished a creditable fourth. Before that, the colt had finished first or second in a long streak of consistent efforts.

This was the second straight day that the sport was conducted under adverse weather conditions, the betting and attendance taking natural drops. The meeting, however, has been running around 25 per cent above the same session a year ago in mutuels play.

The feature was run in an odd manner. Before the field had traveled far, three horses—Floragina, Remarkable and Peon—were racing heads apart and 10 lengths clear of Short Cake, the fourth horse. The half dozen platers were stretched far along the backstretch. Peon gained a length lead around the bend and held on gamely despite Floragina's threatening challenge through the stretch. Remarkable stopped badly and allowed Shot Cake to beat him by eight lengths for the show.

The first race brought out nine 3-year-old platers. Valdina Lass, the favorite at slightly better than even money, squeezed first home by a head. Ten-O-Hearts was second by three lengths, with Sweet Lavender third. The latter set the pace to the stretch, where Fairy Imp moved to the front. This one also stopped and Valinda Lass stuck her head in front inside the last sixteenth. Ten-O-Hearts closed fastest of all and might have won in another stride or so. The time for the five and a half furlongs was 1:08 3-5.

Oaklawn Park

Entries

FIRST RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	*Kosse	111	1 *Sun Suite	106
8	Chubbins	111	2 Gecko	116
9	*Wise H'dred	106	3 *Okla. John	111
10	Woodway	116	4 Sun Antioch	116
11	*Pacilla D'Or	106	5 Panic Relief	116
12	*Calanta	106	6 Lit. Hickman	116

SECOND RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Sand Bag	111	1 *Pickle Ch'ks	106
8	*Glad Fr'ds	111	2 Marcabala	116
9	Mountkala	111	3 *Skotchy	111
10	*Van Tryst	111	4 *Sun Henry	111
11	Black R'sody	113	5 Bunting On	116
12	Margie G	111	6 Zimbag	111

THIRD RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $600; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

7	Bartle, Boy	113	1 Wise Moss	110
8	Burman	113	2 Bubble Lil	110
9	Weav. Thru	110	3 Termoday	113
10	Here She C's	110	4 Reina	110
11	Miz Ross	116	5 Air Brisade	119
12	Speedy Valley	113	6 Lady Psyche	110

FOURTH RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	*Jimmie T	110	1 *Yetive	108
8	Butterman	115	2 Red Pirate	116
9	Winged Kt	115	3 *Pasalaw	110
10	*Erb	105	4 Molly Fly	113
11	Happy Road	118	5 Little Drift	113
12	*Gin Fritters	105	6 *Light Tack	105

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; allowances; for 4-year-olds and upward.

4	Brt. Victory	105	1 Mascot	113
5	West Acre	113	2 Hope D'mond	105
6	Catomar	105	3 Some Count	110

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	Rich Cream	108	1 *Marconia	106
8	Lovick	116	2 Madcap Yankee	111
9	*Leading Bet	108	3 *Poulson	108
10	Morisco	108	4 Caath	113
11	*Stroll. Home	111	5 *The Break	108
12	Falls City	113	6 *Sev. Inning	111

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	*My Crest	105	1 *Stella Mc	105
8	*Brigier	110	2 *Deep Rock	105
9	Gold. Quest	110	3 *Freeze	110
10	Mars Man	115	4 Lovely Jo	110
11	*Marlie May	105	5 *Someone Else	110
12	*Sister Polly	105	6 *Sue Hopper	108

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	*Lady Patrol	102	1 Victor Hugo	112
8	*Respha	105	2 *My Buddy	107
9	*Billsbong	113	3 *Pompilit	102
10	*Vansouvit	107	4 Branham	112
11	*Ultiwillit	97	5 *Towson	107
12	*Zanny	110	6 *Vanfare	102

NINTH RACE (substitute)—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

7	*Grace Grier	105	1 Never Blue
8	Grand's Boy	113	2 Arabic
9	*Lena J.	106	3 Thistle Red
10	*Dustless	111	4 *Cardibre
11	*Arthur B	111	5 Norman D
12	Persuader	113	6 Sorcery

1—Sun Antioch, Panic Relief, Chubbins.
2—Black Rhapsody, Marcabala, Van Tryst.
3—Weaving Thru, Wise Moss, Burman.
4—Little Drift, Happy Road, Erb.
5—Catomar, Hope Diamond, Some Count.
6—Paulson, Lovick, The Break.
7—Freeze, Someone Else, Deep Rock.
8—Respha, Billsbond, Towson.
9—Arthur B., Thistle Red, Persuader.
Best bet—Catomar.

Results

FIRST—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Bucks Image, 108 (Elam)	7.10	5.20	3.50
High Place, 106 (Bassett)		8.70	6.00
Fire Rab, 113 (Oros)			6.50

Calculator, *Idle Worker, Prum, The Spotter, Sir Scamp, *Wise King, *Davids Boy, Ouray also ran. Time, 1:11. *Field.

SECOND—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Maurice K., 112 (Camp)	28.60	14.70	7.50
Pops Rival, 115 (Keiser)		6.80	4.00
Hamlin, 112 (Bodiou)			4.90

*Uvote, Miss Sonada, Travis L., Brown Moss, *Love Wisely, Maud Bane, Shady Sue, Okemah also ran. Time, 1:11. *Field.

THIRD—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Apropos, 102 (McDonald)	21.90	12.60	6.10
Flagabout, 107 (Keiser)		10.20	6.20
Tuleyries Lin, 107 (Scurlock)			4.60

Sir L., Aureate, Traicionero, Lady Thirteen, Bold Fay also ran. Time, 1:10⅘.

FOURTH—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Pepper Box, 106 (Myers)	8.90	5.00	3.40
Clockwinder, 111 (Ross)		6.00	4.20
Honey Chile, 113 (Bodiou)			3.40

Carrying Time, Transview, Red Range, Legal Advice also ran. Time, 1:10⅘.

FIFTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; allowances; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Wed'ng Morne, 107 (G.Smith)	6.30	3.90	out
Melodist, 115 (J. Richard)		3.70	out
Sir Jim James, 115 (Bodiou)			out

Professor Paul also ran. Time, 1:47.

SIXTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

The Hare, 111 (G. Oros)	4.50	3.50	2.30
Billabong, 113 (Napier)		6.40	4.50
*Lady Hav, 106 (Elam)			4.90

Valvesta, *Prince Placido, *Tommy's Luck, Pavisand, Ebony Parasol, Crafty Fox and Cynical also ran.

SEVENTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Blacky Bee, 110 (Richard)	22.70	11.40	7.30
Beaver Lake, 105 (Oros)		8.00	4.60
Out of Fire, 116 (G. Smith)			2.90

Sandy Belle, Colonel Martin, *Bull Market, Frank Ormont, Noah's Pride, *Cross Ruff, Broadway Girl, Checks also ran. Time, 1:47 4-5.

EIGHTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Money Seat, 105 (Glaus)	4.80	2.70	2.30
Can't Catch, 107 (Bassett)		3.10	2.40
Yan Wind, 107 (Elam)			2.50

Askaris and Emporium also ran. *Field.

Tropical Park Race Charts

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1940.

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WEATHER, RAINING. TRACK, SLOPPY.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $900; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post 2:06½. Off 2:06½. Winner, River Divide Farm's b. f. (3), by Osculator—Brilliant Lass. Trained by R. T. Shapp. Value to winner, $650; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:08⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
VALDINA LASS	(Johnston)	106	1	5	4¹	4¹	2¹½	1h	$1.06
TEN-O-HEARTS	(Roberts)	111	2	3	5¹½	3h	4h	2¹	9.40
SWEET LAVENDER	(Wells)	106	8	2	1¹½	1h	3¹½	3nk	32.15
FAIRY IMP	(Rosen)	113½	5	4	2¹	2¹	1¹	4¹	9.80
PRESS TIME	(Falero)	111	7	7	5½	6¹	5h	5¹	7.00
DIMPLE	(Packer)	111	6	6	8¹	8¹	7¹	6¹	15.35
PHAEDRA	(Allgaier)	107	9	1	3¹	5¹	6½	7¹	22.05
PEANUT LADY	(Milligan)	111	4	9	9	9	8¹	8¹	10.70
J. EDGAR H.	(Fernandez)	116	3	8	7¹	7¹	9	9	7.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—VALDINA LASS, $4.10, $2.30, $2.50; TEN-O-HEARTS, $6.40, $4.50; SWEET LAVENDER, $10.00.

VALDINA LASS, outrun in the early stages, came through between the leaders in the final furlong and outlasted TEN-O-HEARTS at the end. TEN-O-HEARTS moved up menacingly on the stretch turn, but lost much ground, closed gamely again and would have won in a few more strides. SWEET LAVENDER, quickest away, displayed good speed and outlasted FAIRY IMP. The latter saved ground turning into the stretch and took command, but weakened badly.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $900; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post 2:36. Off 2:37. Winner, Mrs. W. Hodson's ch. g. (9), by Quibbler—Hilouise. Trained by W. Hodson. Value to winner, $650; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:13⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
FAIR TIME	(May)	116	1	5	4¹	4¹	2¹½	1nk	$2.55
WISE DECISION	(Berger)	114	9	1	2¹	1½	1¹	2¹	6.30
PEKAKI	(Kelly)	109	7	3	1h	2¹½	3¹	3¹	14.75
PLAYMAY	(McCombs)	111	3	7	8¹	8¹	7½	4¹	7.90
BOAT'S CREW	(Gonzales)	114	4	6	6½	6½	6¹	5nk	10.95
OWALLEN	(Allgaier)	107	6	3	3½	3h	4h	6¹	8.60
LA JOYA	(Wells)	106	5	8	7½	7h	8¹	7¹½	7.70
CRUISING	(Johnston)	111	2	4	5¹	5¹	5¹	8¹	4.45
BUBBLESOME	(McMullen)	111	8	9	9	9	9	9	28.05

Two-dollar mutuels paid—FAIR TIME, $7.10, $3.90, $3.60; WISE DECISION, $6.60, $4.20; PEKAKI, $7.90.

FAIR TIME, rushed into contention in the opening quarter mile, swung around the leader entering the stretch and was up in the last strides. WISE DECISION broke fast, assumed a clear lead entering the stretch, but was unable to stave off the winner's bid. PEKAKI, keen contender in the early running, faltered in the last eighth mile, yet held the others safe. CRUISING did not appear to favor the footing.

Daily Double, VALDINA LASS and FAIR TIME, Paid $18.20

THIRD RACE—Four furlongs. Purse, $800. For 2-year-old maidens, colts and geldings. Start good. Won easily; place driving. Went to post 3:07½. Off at once. Winner, C. A. O'Neil, jr.'s, dk. b. c. (2), by Hijack—Poverty. Trained by L. Niles. Value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:47⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
HI POV	(Johnston)	116	2	1	1h	1h	1h	$3.45
SIGNATOR	(McCombs)	116	4	6	4¹	2¹	2¹	14.40
TEA RING	(Packer)	116	1	2	2h	3¹½	3¹½	38.95
SOCRATIC	(Anderson)	116	5	4	3h	4¹	4¹	.60
GAY MAN	(Meade)	116	6	5	6	6	5¹	14.30
MAEVIC	(Steffen)	116	3	3	5¹	5½	6	7.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid—HI POV, $8.90, $3.70, $2.90; SIGNATOR, $7.90, $4.10; TEA RING, $5.90.

HI POV, quickest away, fancied the footing and opened up a good lead in the first quarter, winning as his rider pleased. SIGNATOR, strongly urged, went into contention approaching the stretch turn and held the others safe. TEA RING broke well, went forwardly while saving ground and shook off SOCRATIC in the last furlong. SOCRATIC could never get up.

FOURTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post 3:35. Off 3:36½. Winner, Berkshire Valley Stock Farm's blk. g. (3), by Hildur—Dorothy Larue. Trained by L. J. Burch. Value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, 1:46⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
DEFINER	(F. Smith)	116	2	1	1h	1h	1½	1²	1¹	$10.70
PANJAB	(Berger)	113	3	2	4h	4½	3h	3²	2nk	4.00
NOODLES	(Johnston)	103	1	7	6¹	6½	6²	4²	3nk	5.25
SUCCESS STORY	(McCombs)	113	10	3	2½	2¹½	2½	2½	4¹	7.05
TRANSBYE	(Fields)	113	8	8	9¹	9¹	9¹	6½	5¹	7.65
KEN'S POP	(Rosen)	113	9	4	5¹	5¹	5¹½	5¹	6²	18.05
GAY HOUR	(Roberts)	113	5	5	2¹	3¹	4¹	7²	7²	7.95
JEB STUART	(Steffen)	115	4	10	7²	7h	8¹	8¹	8²	27.15
HIGH ARCH	(Vail)	111	6	9	10	8¹	7h	9½	9¹	4.45
JABIRU	(Wells)	103	7	6	8¹	10	10	10	10	21.30

Two-dollar mutuels paid—DEFINER, $23.40, $12.30, $7.50; PANJAB, $5.10, $3.80; NOODLES, $4.20.

DEFINER, broke alertly, displayed good speed in the footing and held sway the entire trip. PANJAB, prominent and saving ground all the way, finished gamely to punish-ment and outlasted NOODLES. The latter, away slowly, closed a big gap. SUCCESS STORY faltered when the final test came.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,200; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post 4:05½. Off 4:06½. Winner, O. L. Foster's b. c. (4), by Petee Wrack—Eagleton. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $850; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:12⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PEON	(Krovitz)	111	6	1	3¹	1¹	1h	1¹	$3.65
FLORAGINA	(Rosen)	113	1	3	2h	2½	2¹	2¹	2.05
SHORT CAKE	(McCombs)	111	4	4	4½	4¹	3¹	3¹°	5.25
REMARKABLE	(Eye)	118	3	2	1h	3¹	4¹	4¹	5.70
OPEN DOOR	(Stevenson)	118	2	6	5²	5¹	5¹	5¹	18.65
RYE GRASS	(Johnston)	108	3	5	6	6	6	6	3.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PEON, $9.30, $3.90, $3.00; FLORAGINA, $3.40, $2.80; SHORT CAKE, $3.50.

PEON forced a swift pace in the going and, shaking off FLORAGINA through the stretch, won going away. FLORAGINA, eased back leaving the backstretch, moved up boldly on the outside entering the stretch, but could not keep stride with the winner. SHORT CAKE came from far back to dispose of REMARKABLE. The latter stopped badly after going a half mile.

WEATHER, RAINING. TRACK, MUDDY.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $900; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post 4:34½. Off 4:35½. Winner, Miss F. J. Driscoll's ch. f. (3), by Noah—Palm Branch. Trained by J. F. Quinn, jr. Value to winner, $650; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:15.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
TROPICAL GAL	(Eccard)	111	7	1	1¹½	1²	1¹	1¹	$7.60
BUNNY RABBIT	(Meade)	111	4	5	2h	3¹	2h	2¹	1.55
HIERONYMUS	(Rosen)	108	1	3	3¹	5¹	5¹	3h	4.55
GRAEME PARK	(Roberts)	116	8	6	4½	4¹	4¹	4²	22.75
JO MARY	(Fernandez)	111	5	2	2¹	2½	3½	5¹	7.75
NOPALOSA ROJO	(Gonzales)	113	2	4	6¹	6¹	6¹	6¹	6.45
IRISH LARK	(McCombs)	108	6	8	8	8	8	7⁴	7.35
WOOD BLAZE	(Critchfield)	110	3	7	7¹	7²	7¹	8	58.10

Two-dollar mutuels paid—TROPICAL GAL, $17.30, $7.30, $4.00; BUNNY RABBIT, $3.80, $2.70; HIERONYMUS, $3.60.

TROPICAL GAL began fast, held her opposition safe for speed and then had something in reserve when challenged. BUNNY RABBIT, vigorously ridden all the way, finished gamely, but could not overtake the winner. HIERONYMUS raced extremely wide rounding the turn, but shook off the others through the stretch. GRAEME PARK had no excuses.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards. Purse, $900; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won handily; place driving. Went to post 5:02½. Off 5:03. Winner, A. L. Copeland, jr.'s, b. c. (4), by Caruso—Respite II. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $630; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:48⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
MAJOR MINOR	(Milligan)	114	2	2	2¹	2¹	2¹	1²	1²	$3.10
ERECH	(Berger)	113	1	6	5²	5¹	4½	4¹½	2nk	4.75
SAN PIETRO	(Meade)	113	5	3	3²	3½	1h	2¹	3¹	1.95
WULFSTAN	(Atkinson)	113	4	4	1h	1h	2¹	1h	4¹	8.70
PRADIS	(Johnston)	109	3	5	6	6	6	5²	5¹²	6.10
READY ABOUT	(Falero)	105	6	1	2¹	2½	5¹	6	6	7.10

Two-dollar mutuels paid—MAJOR MINOR, $8.30, $3.70, $2.80; ERECH, $6.30, $3.50; SAN PIETRO, $3.10.

MAJOR MINOR followed the pace until straightened into the stretch, moved up determinedly on the outside and won in hand. ERECH, slow to gain his stride, bettered his position steadily and wore SAN PIETRO down in the last 3 furlongs. SAN PIETRO, used up racing WULFSTAN into submission, faltered in the stretch run. WULFSTAN quit.

EIGHTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards. Purse, $900; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post 5:31. Off 5:31½. Winner, P. L. Kelley's br. g. (7), by Brown Bud—Our Anniversary. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $650; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25. Time, 1:47.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
OUR BUD	(Wells)	111	7	4	4¹½	3½	2h	2¹	1½	$1.55
HEADIN HOME	(Roberts)	113	5	6	5²	1¹	1h	1h	2¹	5.60
DEPTHBOMB	(Kelly)	108	6	3	7	7	5¹	3²	3²	7.85
ERIN'S SUN	(Packer)	113	3	2	3¹	2h	3¹	4²	4²	7.20
JACQUELLA	(Johnston)	106	1	5	5¹½	5²	4¹	5¹½	5½	2.90
TROOPERETTE	(Vail)	108	4	7	6½	6¹	7	7	6²	35.40
JOE D	(Allgaier)	108	2	1	1¹	4²	6¹½	6²	7	16.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—OUR BUD, $5.10, $3.70, $2.60; HEADIN HOME, $5.20, $4.00; DEPTHBOMB, $4.10.

OUR BUD moved into contention with a rush leaving the backstretch, responded with determination and wore HEADIN HOME down in the final drive. HEADIN HOME took command after going half mile, saved ground thereafter, but was unable to withstand the winner's challenge. DEPTHBOMB broke slowly and closed a big gap. JACQUELLA did not seem to favor the going.

Tanforan Park

Entries

By the Associated Press

FIRST RACE—Four and a half furlongs; purse, $600; maiden 2-year-olds.

8	†Idle	104	1 Fair Hair. Boy
9	†Iron Nut	112	2 *Isometric
10	Quercus	117	3 Tenas Tynee
11	†Port. Baby	104	4 Confield
12	Mart. Macaw	117	5 Polly Pry
13	Lady Light	114	6 †Iron Judge
14	Ebony Latch	117	7 †*Pelthorn
15	Joes First	114	

†L. and A. Stable entry.
‡Iron Mountain Stable entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $300; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

8	Bubbling Lad	107	1 *Gay Salud
9	Red Cannibal	107	2 Reveille Lady
10	Iron Locks	103	3 Gold Wish
11	Herest	107	4 Middie Blouse
12	Red Chick	107	5 Ominate
13	Bill Whiting	110	6 *Hazy Port
14	Good W'ther	105	7 Badger Pass
15	*Little Eric	103	

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

6	Ship Sign	107	2 *Poker Player
7	*Vallejo	110	3 Westy's Girl
8	*Bien Chance	104	4 *St. Stephens
9	*Nego Ele	113	5 Quick Gold
1	Veracidad	104	

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

8	*Gay Imp	103	1 *Cora S
9	Dismister	114	2 Kai Hi
10	*Pately	103	3 Reign Dear
11	*Vald. Queen	103	4 Black Hawk
12	Theater King	114	5 Rose Cherokee
13	Palmera T	115	6 Prestin
14	*My Impulse	110	7 *Better Look

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

5	*Genie F'tine	104	2 *Commendable
6	Chief Nadi	111	3 Kumreish
7	Blk. H'brow	120	4 Indiantown
1	*Reel Plates	106	

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $1,200; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

4	Allergic	108	1 Exarch
5	*Stalking	103	2 Nickajack
6	The Gob	111	3 *Enthrall

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

5	†Invincible	109	2 Texas Rose
6	Gurantor	108	3 *Bonnie Sea
7	*Potlatch	109	4 Don Gusman
1	*Bon Jade	103	

EIGHTH RACE—One mile and a quarter; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

5	Rita Brothers	109	1 *Mullet
6	*Enimrac	110	2 Dust to Dust
7	*Rodney Pan	104	3 *Howdoino
8	George S. D	109	4 *Tonas

17 Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

Results

FIRST—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, $900; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

The Raider, 103 (Dodson)	6.20	3.60	3.20
Tram On, 103 (McRoberts)		11.20	5.80
Bridgita, 108 (Scott)			20.20

Johnnie Reb, Iron Sue, Rain Crystal, Corn Pone and Hi Briar also ran. Time, 0:56 2-5.

SECOND—Six furlongs; chute; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Red Cora, 111 (Rodrigues)	9.40	4.80	3.60
High Top, 106 (Grohs)		11.20	7.60
Forsellus, 103 (McRoberts)			6.60

Will Do, Royal Feast, Heel In, Silver Doctor, Eyeknocker and Orientalist also ran. Time, 1:14.

THIRD—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Norway Nell, 103 (Packer)	29.60	9.80	4.00
Bastion, 106 (Haycock)		4.60	3.20
Sky o' Blue, 106 (Scott)			2.60

My Turn, Dorothy Owsley, Prince Heather, Marrajo, Crystal Count, Our Haven also ran. Time, 1:15 3-5.

FOURTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Sky Breeze, 111 (Adams)	20.40	7.00	4.00
The Marker, 115 (Knapp)		3.80	2.60
Tea Hound, 106 (Taylor)			2.60

Khayyam, Attabunny, Waralli, Watch Time and Rescale also ran. Time, 1:49 1-5.

FIFTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Santouri, 111 (Scott)	7.40	4.60	3.00
Velocitier, 110 (Lourden)		5.20	3.00
Tistrus, 103 (Taylor)			3.00

Herman Jr., Spring Flood, Bagen May, Recoaina also ran. Time, 1:40 1-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds which have never won two races other than maiden.

Charitable, 109 (Dodson)	6.40	3.20	2.40
Wisebech, 103 (McRoberts)		3.00	2.20
Sun Superlette, 111 (Lourden)			2.60

Wellesley, Big Flash and On Stage also ran. Time, 1:13 1-5.

SEVENTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Dare Bunny, 114 (Lourden)	8.80	4.80	3.80
Chance Sweet, 111 (Adams)		8.40	3.80
Proud Indian, 112 (Dodson)			6.60

Peter Tokalon, Slave Charm, High Vote, Hasten Henry, Beau Do and Albino also ran. Time, 1:44 4-5.

EIGHTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; claiming; purse, $800.

Brilliant Light, 115 (Balaski)	9.60	4.60	3.80
Bon Fly, 107 (Scott)		10.60	6.40
American Emblem, 115 (Adams)			4.40

Genteel Lady, Tristrap, Apprentice, Lady's Son, Undulate, Rainbearer also ran. Time, 1:48 3-5.

Bill Bennings

At the Post

Selections at Tropical Park.

Dear Al: J. Yancey Christmas, of Upper Marlboro, Md., paid $265 for a horse which has a keen chance at first prize in Col. Matt J. Winn's $75,000 added Kentucky Derby, on May 4, at Churchill Downs. Yes, Rough Pass is the name. "He's a mite better horse than some folks think," said Christmas. "He did right well at 2, and he's grown bigger and stronger since then. One leg has caused him a little trouble, but we ought to get that fixed this spring, and he looks to me like a horse which ought to beat a lot of good horses over a distance." Christmas bought Rough Pass at an auction in Maryland. The colt wasn't a prize-winner for looks, nor was he fashionably bred, being by By-Pass II, out of Ephyre. By the time Rough Pass was put on the block, most of the boys and girls who had been shopping around for horses had loaded up on earlier bargains, and when Christmas bid $265, nobody else spoke up, and the horse belonged to the Maryland sportsman. Rough Pass went to the post 13 times in 1939, won 6 races, 2 of them stakes; took down 2 seconds, and 3 thirds, and rewarded Christmas with $15,675—a nice return on a $265 investment.

The brown colt whipped Victory Morn in the Spalding Lowe Jenkins Stakes, won the Maplewood at Rockingham, and did all right in other engagements. But his standout performance perhaps was in the Walden Stakes, at Pimlico, November 14, when, over the mile and a sixteenth route, he ran second to Bimelech. He had a bit of trouble during the running, and might have been closer with good luck. "However, says Christmas, "he was convincingly beaten by Bimelech. The Bradley horse was much better than Rough Pass that afternoon. Maybe he always will be better. On the other hand, this fellow might improve greatly at 3, as so many horses have done. Come mid-April and I'll know more about him and his Derby chances. Right now, I'll say he's the best bargain I ever caught." The Benningites got so used to writing those Heckle and Art Brown rhymes that they continue to send me notes in verse. Here's one from E. S. D.: "After all we must admit; Art Brown has that thing called 'It.' So come on Bill and get back into the traces; Let's have some winners in the Bowie races." I knew I shouldn't have referred to him as "Lovely." Confucius say: hurry up Monday. BILL.

First race—Arga appears nicely placed in the day's opening event and I'm going to string along. **Paul Lee** has his speed on occasions and will be dangerous among these. **No Ending** should take down a portion of the cash.

Second race—Jock's Betsy's last was not her race. She can beat these with a little more racing luck. **Kaptime** and **Vellus** have plen

Inventories Reverse Trend, Drop in Month

Level Remains 16 Pct. Over February, 1939, Despite 1940 Decline

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—After several months of steady increase, manufacturers' inventories showed a small decline in February, but remained 16 per cent above the average level of February, 1939, the National Industrial Conference Board reported today.

"The rise in inventories which began in September, 1939," said the conference board's survey, "and was checked in February, differs from the advance which occurred at the close of 1936. In the earlier period there was no interruption in the upward trend for 11 months, during which the board's index rose 41 per cent.

Shipments Decline

"For the five months from September, 1939, through last January the index gained 18 per cent and in February stood 10 per cent below the high reached in 1937."

Manufacturers' shipments, the survey asserted, continued to decline in February, but were better maintained than the volume of production. The value of new orders, according to the board's seasonally adjusted index, was 10 per cent less than in January, but showed a gain of 10 per cent over February, 1939.

Dry Goods Earnings Up

Associated Dry Goods Corporation reported the best earnings since 1930 in a statement for the fiscal year ended February 3, showing net income of $2,016,567, equal to $1.38 a common share. This compared with $787,364.

Hudson Bay Mining Gains

Hudson Bay Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd., reported 1939 consolidated net income of $5,249,914, or $1.90 a share, compared with $4,435,432, or $1.61 a share, for the previous year.

Borg-Warner Earnings

Chicago, March 27 (AP).—Borg-Warner Corporation today reported for 1939 consolidated net profit of $5,683,801, equal to $2.43 a share on outstanding common stock. This compared with a loss of $19,966 in 1938.

Inland Steel

Chicago, March 27 (AP).—Inland Steel Co. reported to stockholders today consolidated net income for 1939 totaled $10,931,016, equal to $6.73 a share. This compared with $4,916,203, or $3.12 in 1936.

Cotton Advances 6 to 10 Points, Trading Active

New York, March 27 (AP).—Rising foreign cotton markets and a brisk upturn in Wall Street security prices flashed a "go" signal to the local futures market. Gains ranged from 6 to 10 points, best levels for the session.

Highlight was the active buying of July by a leading spot interest. This was backed up by steady demand from trade interests, plus professional and Wall Street support.

Brokers with tie-ups in Liverpool and Bombay sold May and July early but bought moderately in distant months.

Futures Price Range

	New—	Open	High	Low	Close	
May	....	10.54	10.60	10.54	*10.61	+08
Oct.	....	9.72	9.80	9.72	9.79	+09
Dec.	....	9.58	9.967	9.58	9.65	+06
Jan.	....	9.60	9.61	9.60	9.60	+06
Mar.	....	9.43	9.50	9.43	9.49	+08
	Old—					
May	....	10.41	10.49	10.41	10.48	+08
July	....	10.20	10.30	10.19	10.29	+10

*Nominal.

Spot nominal; middling (⅞-inch), 10.73

Cottonseed Oil

Cottonseed oil futures broke the sharp decline of Tuesday in trade today but managed gains of only 1 to 2 points.

While buoyant securities markets appeared the chief upward influence, this was offset by weakness in hogs, barely steady grain prices and inactive demand for actual oil.

Sales totaled 74 lots; May, 6.54; July, 6.60; September, 6.62 (bid); October, 6.60 (bid).

Crude oil was lowered one-eighth cent a pound overnight but bids of 5½ cents in the Southeast failed to bring out important offerings. Valley crude was quoted nominally at 5½ and Texas, 5⅜.

Money Markets

Foreign Exchange

New York, March 27 (AP).—The market for the free pound sterling was still searching for a bottom today as the price continued Tuesday's startling 14¾ cents slide with a new loss of 4¼ cents. The French franc touched the low of 1.96 cents, last hit in July, 1926. A partial rally left the French unit .02 of a cent lower at 1.98 cents. Neutral country currencies, which trembled a bit yesterday when sterling plunged, held steadfast.

Closing rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents):

Canada—Official Canadian control board rates for U. S. dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent. Canadian dollar in New York open market 18¾ per cent discount, or $1.25 U. S. cents.

Great Britain—Demand, 3.49⅛; cables, 3.49⅛; 60-day bills, 3.47¼; 90-day bills, 3.46¼.

Demand Rates

Belgium	17.08	Sweden	23.84
Denmark	19.33	Switzerland	22.43
*Finland	1.85	*Yugoslavia	2.35
France	1.98	Argentina—	
Germany	40.25	Official	29.77
Benevolent	16.90	Free	23.35
*Hungary	17.60	Brazil—	
*Greece	.67	Official	6.05
Italy	5.05	Free	5.10
Netherlands	53.10	*Mexico	16.85
Norway	22.73	Japan	23.48
*Portugal	3.42	Hongkong	21.98
*Rumania	.55	Shanghai	6.25

*Nominal.

New York

Bar silver 34¾, unchanged.

London

Money, 1 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 1⅛ per cent; 3-month bills, ⅞@1⅛.

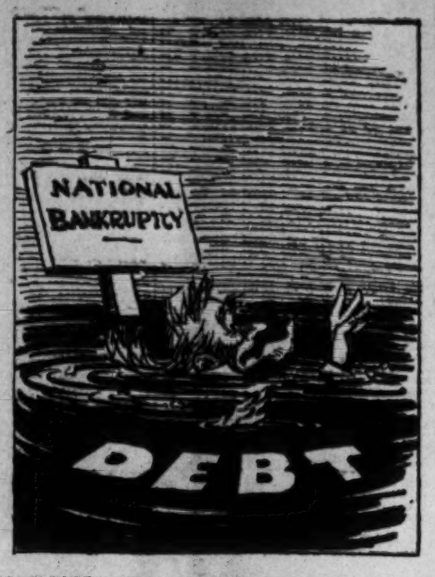
Bar silver, 20¼d., up ⅛. (Equivalent 36.72 cents, based on dollar at $4.03.)

Bar gold, 168s., unchanged. (Equivalent $33.86.)

Paris

The United States dollar rate held at 43.80 francs (2.283 cents to the franc) in today's foreign exchange trading, compared with the franc at 2.006 cents in New York over night. Exchange on London 176.625 francs. Three per cent rentes in the bourse finished 73.85 francs; 4½s "A," 84.25; 4½s 1937, 219.35.

One Road to Recovery Leads Into Deep Water



The Market

By C. Norman Stabler
A Special Correspondent.

Carbonated Water Issues Soar as Market Tops Million Shares on Rising Prices Set Off by United States Steel Dividend

New York, March 27.—The biggest bulge the stock market has enjoyed this year, touched off by the dividend of $1 on common of United States Steel, meant higher prices for Loft (Pepsi-Cola), Canada Dry Ginger Ale, National Tea, White Rock and Coca-Cola.

The alcoholic beverage issues, with the exception of Commercial Solvents, didn't join the carbonated water stocks. They closed with no unusual sign of strength.

Not that Wall Street firms are going to be choosy in these days of double taxes, triple terms and single customers. The street will take its bull markets as they come and not ask for too many explanations.

Million Share Day

The statistical record of today's stock market is presented with pleasure. The big board dealt in 1,191,570 shares, the most for any day since November 9, 1939, the composite average advanced 0.65 point, the best performance since December 13, 1939.

Individual gains of from 1 to more than 3 points were customary among the leaders. Inactive Wright Aero jumped 5⅞ points and A. M. Byers preferred 4¼. Steel led the pivotals, scoring a 3⅜ points gain on a turnover of 25,200 shares. Of the 840 individual issues dealt in, 63 made new highs for the year against 14 lows. Tehere were 554 advances against 121 declines.

Aside from stocks, the day's developments were not as cheering. United States Government bonds were irregular and corporate domestic bonds did not stage a recovery equal to that of the junior obligations. Continued sharp weakness in sterling and the French franc was the most discouraging development of the day. Sterling fell away another 4¼ cents to $3.49¼. The franc was dragged down with sterling, closing off 2¾ points at 1.98 cents.

Commodities Lag

The leading commodities did not keep pace with stocks. An explanation for the rise in securities, aside from the steel dividend, was the widening of the split between the Allies and Russia. This was seen as giving the market another war tinge.

Wheat, usually strong on every war move, closed lower, however. Cotton was more buoyant, futures closing up 6 to 10 points.

The war news did do its bit for the aviations. Lockheed was the most active issue, adding 2⅝ points and making a new high. United Airlines added a point, Bendix 1½, Glenn L. Martin, 1⅜ and Curtiss-Wright and Pan American were up fractions.

The steels were carried along on the basis of the surprise dividend. Republic was up 1½, Bethlehem 2¾ and National 1½. Mid-week news of the industry was not particularly favorable, the Iron Age reporting that new business, while improving slightly, has failed to develop in sufficient volume to arrest the decline in production.

The weekly report on power output showed the current rate to be 10.3 per cent above a year ago, whereas the previous week had shown a betterment of 10.6 per cent.

Listed Bonds Share

Listed bonds shared modestly today in the improved market sentiment which developed on the steel dividend. Best grade investment issues hardly varied, but a number of speculative bonds struggled upward. Foreign dollar securities proved somewhat irregular. Total turnover was $7,190,000, an improvement over previous sessions but much under normal.

Anaconda 4½s fell on the indication that the issue may be called, in large part. Speculative railroad bonds were mostly better by fractions to a point.

Scandinavian bonds were soft, but the variation small. Italian and Belgian obligations were dull. Belligerent country bonds were held to previous figures. A little interest developed in various Latin-American securities.

United States Treasury obligations were irregular. Guaranteed bonds of the Farm and Home Loan Corporations were neglected. Best grades of utility and rail bonds hardly moved.

Union Carbide Earns $3.86 a Share in 1939

New York, March 27 (AP).—Union Carbide & Carbon Corp. had net income in 1939 of $35,847,400 after all charges, equal to $3.86 a share on the capital stock. This compared with $25,173,412, or $2.77 a share in 1938.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post

New York, March 27.—The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues today were.

	Vol.	Close	Net ch.
Loft, Inc.	40,700	36	+ ⅜
Coml Solvents	31,700	15⅝	+ 1⅛
Lockheed Airc.	31,600	33½	+ 2⅝
Curtiss-Wright	30,700	10⅝	+ ⅛
Pan Amer Airw.	26,300	21½	+ ⅛
U. S. Steel	25,200	57¾	+ 3⅜
United Airl.	25,100	21	+1
Bendix Aviat	24,300	35⅛	+ 1½
Canada Dry	21,300	23	+1
National Tea	17,400	8¾	+ 1⅛
Republic Steel	15,600	21¼	+ 1½
Martin G L	14,300	44⅝	+ 1⅞
N Y Central	13,200	16⅛	+ ⅛
White Rock	12,700	8¾	+ ⅛
Nat Dairy Prod.	11,500	17¾	+ ⅜

Volume: 15 stocks, 341,800 shares.
Ratio to total volume: 28.6 per cent.

U. S. Sells Only A Fifth of Issues In Open Market

New York, March 27.—Financing of the United States Government $4,000,000,000 deficit without recourse to the open market for more than one-fifth of that amount in the past calendar year suggests the possibility that the supply of negotiable Treasury obligations might be actually reduced, especially if the deficit were to be curtailed, according to the annual survey published by C. J. Devins & So., Inc., today.

"The United States Treasury's growing independence of the open market for its cash requirements was one of the outstanding developments of 1939 in Treasury finance," the survey asserts. "Whereas in the previous six years more than two-thirds of the money needed to finance the deficit was obtained by public sales of negotiable Treasury obligations, funds received from this source in 1939 were less than one-fifth of the deficit requirements. Sales of savings bonds alone supplied the Treasury with more cash than was provided through the sale of marketable securities."

Value of Stock Sales Declines

The market value of total sales on all registered securities exchanges in February amounted to $686,970,249, a decrease of 24.4 per cent from the total sales in January, and 12 per cent below February, 1939, the Securities and Exchange Commission reported yesterday.

Stock sales were $582,515,382 and bond sales $103,351,324. Washington Stock Exchange sales were valued at $75,557, with $46,261 in stocks and $29,000 in bonds.

Security Averages

	50 Inds.	20 Rails.	20 Utils.	90 Stks.
Yesterday	118.1	31.1	67.9	96.6
Previous day	116.5	30.3	67.6	95.4
Week ago	117.8	30.5	67.6	96.3
Month ago	117.5	30.8	70.1	96.6
Year ago	116.6	29.8	67.4	95.2
Two years ago	91.7	21.6	48.3	73.6
High, 1939	131.7	37.7	74.5	106.4
Low, 1939	96.0	23.4	58.2	79.4
High, 1938	136.1	34.3	70.7	109.5
Low, 1938	83.6	20.1	45.2	67.5
Bonds	**20 Inds.**	**20 Rails.**	**20 Utils.**	**60 Bnds.**
Yesterday	87.2	57.4	101:8	82.2
Previous day	87.4	57.1	101.8	82.1
Week ago	87.2	56.9	101.8	82.0
Month ago	87.1	57.1	101.6	81.9
Year ago	86.9	59.8	101.0	82.6
Two years ago	77.7	51.1	89.1	72.9
High, 1939	88.0	64.0	102.8	84.6
Low, 1939	83.2	51.9	97.0	78.0
High, 1938	87.3	70.0	99.7	83.0
Low, 1938	74.9	47.9	87.3	70.7

(1926 average equals 100.)

Auto Suppliers Gain

The continued high level of automobile production for the remainder of the first half of this year will place manufacturers of original equipment parts in the most favorable position, according to Poor's Industry and Investment Surveys. Producers of repair parts will benefit from record registrations and car usage.

Selling Halts Wheat Rally; May Off ¼-⅝

By the Associated Press

Chicago, March 27.—An attempted rally in the wheat market was smothered today by selling based on prospects of better weather and hedging of grain which has been released from staorage under the Government loan program.

Marketing of loan wheat accounted largely for weakness of May contracts, which led the decline and showed the only material loss at the close. May rose ½ cent at the opening to $1.06⅛ but then tumbled to $1.04⅝, closing at $1.05¼-1.05, off ¼-⅝ from yesterday's finish. July and September contracts, representing 1940 wheat, closed unchanged to ¼ lower, at $1.03⅞-¾ and $1.03⅝-¼.

Corn closed ¼ lower to ¼ higher, May, 56⅝; July, 57⅝-⅜; oats, unchanged to ⅛ up; rye unchanged to ¼ lower and lard unchanged to 3 higher.

Futures Price Range

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
May	1.05½	1.06⅛	1.04⅝	1.05
July	1.04	1.04⅝	1.03⅝	1.03⅝
September	1.03¼	1.03⅞	1.02⅝	1.03¼
Corn—				
May	56⅝	56⅝	56½	56⅝
July	57½	57⅝	57¼	57⅜
September	58	58⅛	58	58⅛
Oats—				
May	41½	41⅝	41⅜	41⅝
July	36⅝	36⅝	36½	36⅝
September	33⅜	33½	33¼	33¼
Soy Beans—				
May	1.10¾	1.11	1.10	1.10⅛
July	1.07½	1.08	1.07	1.07¼
Rye—				
May	67	67⅜	66⅝	67
July	68⅝	68¾	67½	68⅛
September	69¼	69¾	68⅝	69⅛
Lard—				
March	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
May	5.60	5.60	5.57	5.57
July	5.77	5.80	5.66	5.77
September	6.00	6.02	5.97	6.00
October	6.10	6.10	6.07	6.10
Bellies—				
May	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
July	6.15	6.15	6.15	6.15

Cash Grain Prices

WHEAT—No. 1 hard, 1.08; No. 3, 1.06; No. 2 red, 1.08½; No. 2 mixed, 1.07@1.07½.

CORN—No. 2 mixed, 65½; No. 1 yellow, 58½@59½; No. 2, 57¼@59½; No. 3, 58@59; No. 5, 58½; No. 2 white, 65¾; No. 3, 65⅝.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 42; sample grade, mixed, 37½; No. 1 white, 44¾@45; No. 2, 44½; No. 3, 42@43½; No. 4, 41½; sample grade white, 39½.

BARLEY—Malting, 53@64, nominal; feed, 40@50, nominal; No. 2 malting, 63.

RYE—No. 2, 71¾.

SOY BEANS—No. 2 yellow, 1.10⅛.

FIELD SEED—Per 100 lbs., nominal: Timothy, 4.90@5.25; sweet clover, 4.50@5.25; red clover, 12.50@15.00; red top, 8.50@9.00; alsike, 15.00@18.00; alfalfa, 18.00@23.00.

War Effect Doubtful

Pittsburgh, March 27 (AP).—The Plymouth Oil Co. told its stockholders that the "ultimate effect" of the European war on the petroleum industry is "highly problematical," etc.

Baltimore Securities

Baltimore, Md., March 26 (AP).—Following are the sales, high, low and closing prices of stocks and bonds traded today on the Baltimore Stock Exchange.

Sales		High	Low	Close
100	Arundel Corp	19	18⅞	19
35	Balt Transit pf	1.70	1.65	1.70
30	Fid & Dep	127½	127½	127½
2200	Mar Tex Oil	.50	.48	.48
10	Merch & Min Trans	14¼	14¼	14¼
25	Mono W Pa PS 7 pf	29½	29½	29½
50	New Amster Cas	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜
10	Nor Cen Ry	90	90	90
10	Penn Wat & P	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛
10	Real Estate Trust	71	71	71
50	U S Fid & Guar	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
Bonds				
1000	Balt Transit 4	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛

Total stock sales, 2,330 shares.
Total bond sales, $1,000.

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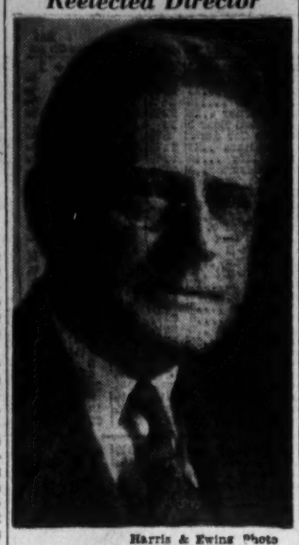
United States Treasury Position

By the Associated Press

The position of the Treasury March 25, compared with comparable date a year ago:

	March 25, 1940	March 24, 1939
Receipts	$23,958,017.92	$15,602,863.12
Expenditures	36,147,560.59	25,922,175.48
Net balance	2,557,829,712.29	3,440,735,132.28
Working balance included	1,838,063,787.54	2,785,333,048.24
Customs receipts for month	23,427,123.95	23,330,477.62
Receipts for fiscal year (July 1)	4,368,015,890.82	4,360,140,319.16
Expenditures	7,047,108,720.16	6,643,864,114.15
Excess of expenditures	2,681,092,829.34	2,283,723,794.99
Gross debt	43,513,854,583.75	39,947,277,366.73
Increase over previous day	11,621,289.60	
Gold assets	18,600,048,311.88	13,366,474,474.65

Reelected Director



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JOHN T. MEANY, vice-president of Waggaman-Brawner Corporation, who has been reelected to the board of directors of Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Co., and begins his tenth 3-year term as a board member

U. S. Steel Co. Urges Peace For Prosperity

Stettinius Reports To Stockholders, Sees Business Advances

Insistence on peace for stable prosperity and to avoid the damage to the economic structure that results from war was set forth yesterday in the annual report of the United States Steel Corporation to stockholders.

Edward R. Stettinius, jr., chairman of the board, noting that the outbreak of war inevitably influenced the course of business, continued:

"It seems appropriate to state war orders represent only a fleeting prosperity and war business is certain to result in a disruptive shifting of our economy. War results in a destruction of capital that takes years to restore and of lives that can never be restored.

Larger Demand Expected

"The management of the United States Steel Corporation is convinced that the first requisite of the attainment of a lasting prosperity is peace and the prospect of enduring peace."

The company anticipated a larger demand for lighter steels, observed that business generally continued to improve, and announced a new accounting system for its reports that breaks down income, costs and gross figures in terms of each employe. Gross sales in 1939 totaled $857,000,000.

The corporation adopted the language of the man in the street in its report to show how it earns its living.

Employes Get Report

This year the report will go to the nearly 250,000 employes as well as some 217,000 stockholders.

It was regarded by some financial observers as another indication of the corporation's efforts to improve its employe and public relations.

The 1939 review has pictures, charts and figures, presented simply and accompanied by explanation in every-day language.

United Gas Pays $1.07, Gain of 8c

Philadelphia, March 27 (AP).—United Gas Improvement Co. of Philadelphia today announced earnings of $1.07 per share for its common stock in 1939, as compared with 99 cents per share in 1938.

The gain in income to $112,401,349 was credited to increased use of electricity.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks	Wed.	Tue.
Advances	554	210
Declines	191	315
Unchanged	165	217
Total issues	840	742

Steel shares lead general advance in heavy trading; volume, 1,191,570.

Bonds

Corporate issues higher; foreign loans lower; transfers, $7,191,000.

Curb

Higher and active; turnover, 277,000.

Commodities

Wheat lower; cotton higher; sugar steady; coffee lower.

Exchange

Lower; Great Britain, $3.49¼; France, 1.98 cents.

J. P. Morgan Heads State Banking House

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—J. P. Morgan was named today chairman of the board of J. P. Morgan & Co., Inc., under the plan for converting the celebrated private banking house into a State-chartered corporation engaging in commercial banking and trust business as of April 1.

Thomas W. Lamont, believed in financial circles to hold the largest individual stake in the House of Morgan, was chosen at the organization meeting vice chairman of the board and chairman of the executive committee.

The new president is George Whitney.

Russell C. Leffingwell, regarded as an economic authority in the firm, was appointed vice chairman of the executive committee.

Other partners were named vice presidents.

Foreign Markets

By the Associated Press

London, March 27.—Forward movements in domestic rails and gold stocks countered the main trend in security dealings today. Traders kept commitments low as they waited for the budget message, due soon. A few selling orders were enough to depress government bonds and the new war loan declined to a ¼-point discount. Tobacco and liquor stocks posted the widest losses in the industrial list, while iron and steel issues showed a little resistance.

Paris—Bourse issues shoved ahead today under the stimulus of Premier Reynaud's speech on war policy and the recent sharp decline in the franc at New York. Domestic chemical and coal mining stocks were particularly favored.

Amsterdam—Domestic stocks turned upward after a wobbly start in the bourse. U. S. Steel was a strong spot among narrow American issues. Influencing the market were reports in the Dutch press of a hitch in Berlin-Moscow-Rome discussions.

Liverpool—Cotton futures rose 10 to 17 points. Buyers were prodded by steadiness at Bombay and advance in spot prices for the staple.

Lehigh Coal Executives Win Board Election

Minority's Campaign Against Management Is Beaten at Meeting

By the Associated Press

Philadelphia, March 27.—The management of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co. won a vote of confidence from stockholders of the huge anthracite and utility concern today with the election of two of its three nominees for the board of managers and defeat of three resolutions introduced by a minority opposition group.

Elected to the board of managers were Marshall S. Morgan, president of the Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Co., and J. Henry Scattergood, nominees of the management, and Wayne Johnson, of New York, only candidate presented by the minority group.

The minority group's resolution expressing lack of faith in the existing executive management was turned down, 855,144 to 598,732. A second motion called for election of all board members to one-year terms instead of four years.

A third motion called for the directors to reduce executive and managerial costs, rejected 1,424,476 to 5,101.

Anaconda May Redeem Issue

New York, March 27 (AP).—C. F. Kelley, president of the Anaconda Copper Mining Co., announces here the company is considering an early redemption of $33,000,000 of its outstanding 4½ per cent sinking fund debentures due in 1950.

It is experted a decision will be reached by the Anaconda board at a meeting Thursday. The operation would leave outstanding $5,015,000 of the original issue of $55,000,000.

Exchange Ends Charge On Inactive Accounts

New York, March 27 (AP).—After a month's trial, Stock Exchange member firms are discontinuing their mandatory service charges on inactive accounts by direction of the Exchange board of governors.

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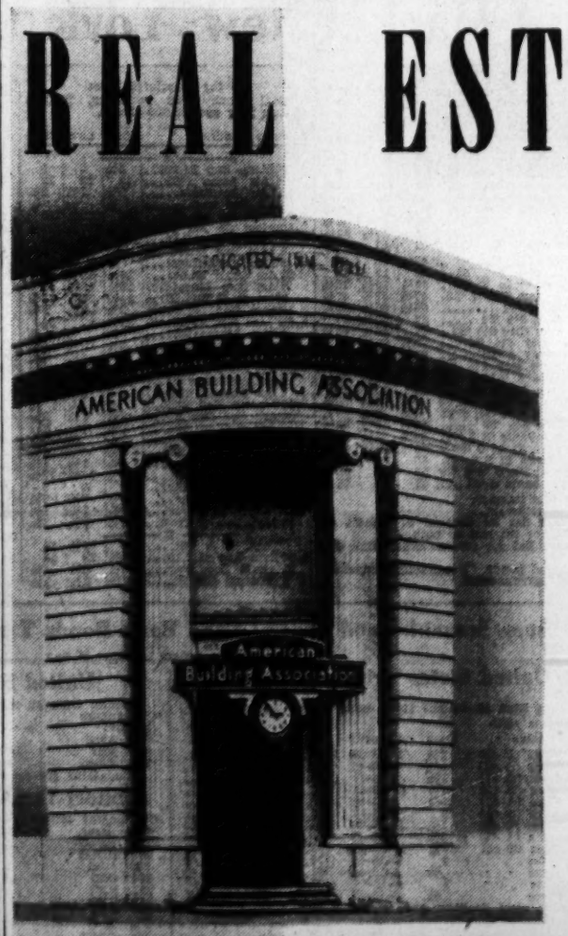

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Directors: JOHN E. MERGNER, CHATHAM M. TOWERS, BERNARD J. COYLE, DR. WM. C. FARMER, THOMAS S. SERGEON, CHAS. A. ROSSITER, W. DUDLEY SPICKNALL

Assets are now in excess of $12,000,000.00
OFFICE HOURS 9 TO 4—SATURDAY 9 TO 12

Allies to Cut U. S. Purchases, Consul Says

By the Associated Press

New York, March 27.—Godfrey D. N. Haggard, British consul general in New York, believes the Allies will have to cut down purchases of "unessential commodities from abroad more and more as time goes on."

Explaining curtailed buying of certain American exports, including tobacco and fruits, he said in a speech prepared for delivery at a meeting of the New York Security Dealers Association:

"It is an unfortunate but inevitable thing that the economic policy which France and Great Britain are obliged to adopt reacts on other countries.

"We have made our plans on the assumption that this may be a long war. We have to remember our foreign resources are not inexhaustible. We have to husband them so as to obtain from them the maximum utility in the prosecution of the war."

Count Charles de Ferry de Fontnouvelle, French consul general, agreed on the need of reducing imports to conserve exchange for war.

Local Securities

Sales

Mergenthaler Linotype—10 at 14½.

After Call

Capital Transit—20 at 14½.
Pot. Elec. Pwr. 5½% pfd.—4 at 114, 3 at 114.
Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4s, 1951—$500 at 109

Bonds

Public Utility	Bid.	Asked.
Anacostia & Pot 5s, 1949	102½	105
Ana & Pot Guar 5s, 1949	112	.....
Cap Traction 1st 5s, 1947	100½	101½
City & Suburban 5s, 1948	102½	105
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s, '61	120	.....
Pot Elec Pwr 3½s, 1966	109	.....
Wash Gas 5s, 1960	128	.....
Wash Rwy & Elec 4s, 1951	109	.....
Miscellaneous		
Chevy Ch Club 1st 4½s, '57	104	.....
Col Country Club 1st 4½s, '57	103	.....
Ter R'A&W Cp 1st 4½s, '48	100	.....
Stocks		
Public Utility		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	*172	.....
Capital Transit (1.50)	14½	15½
N & W Steamboat (4)	60	70
Pot Elec Pwr 6% pf (6.50)	114	.....
Pot Elec P 5½ pf (5.50)	114	.....
Wash Gas Lt com (1.50)	28	29
Wash Gas Lt pf (4.50)	103	107½
Wash Ry & El com (¢36)	735	.....
Wash Ry & El pf (5)	117	118
National Banks		
Capital (¢4)	150	175
Liberty (6)	170	200
Lincoln (95)	200	.....
Riggs (e8)	270	285
Riggs pf (5)	101	.....
Washington (6)	121½	.....
Trust Companies		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (e8)	245	260
Natl Sav & Tr (4.00)	194	.....
Pr Geo Bk & Tr (.60)	18½	22
Wash Loan & Tr (e8)	235	250
Savings Banks		
Bank of Bethesda (.75)	30	45
Com. Savings (y10.00)	*300	.....
Fire Insurance		
American (¢6)	115	.....
Firemen's (1.40)	27	.....
National Union (.75)	15	17
Title Insurance		
Columbia (¢30)	13	.....
Real Estate (¢6)	.....	.....
Miscellaneous		
Carpel Corp (2.00)	*27	29½
Lanston Monotype (2.00)	31½	36
Lincoln Serv com (¢1.00)	19½	22
Lincoln S 7% pr pf (3.50)	47	55
Mergenthaler Lino (p .50)	14½	15½
Natl Mtge & Inv pf (¢d.35)	3¾	4¼
Peoples Dr S com (¢1.00)	*39½	.....
Real Est M&G pf (.50)	5¾	6¼
Security Storage (5)	94	100
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (3)	58	60
Wdwd & Lothrop com (¢2.00)	*48	55
Wdwd & Lothrop pf (7)	*118	.....

*Ex-dividend.
†Plus extras.
(d) 35c paid in 1939.
(e) 2% extra.
(f) 3% extra.
(g) $14.00 extra paid December 23, 1939.
(h) 20c extra.
(m) $1.50 extra.
(p) 50c paid September 20, 1938.
(s) $2.00 paid in 1939.
(t) 50c paid December 20, 1939.
(v) $1.00 extra paid January, 1940.
(y) $5.00 extra.

Reichsbank Statement

Berlin, March 27 (AP).—The Reichsbank statement as of March 26 showed (in thousands of reichsmarks): Gold and foreign exchange, 77,451, decrease, 260; bills of exchange and checks, 11,555,062, decrease, 66,011; securities, 128,101, increase, 8,373; other assets, 1,698,310, increase, 108,488; circulation, 11,526,232, decrease, 29,506; sight deposits, 1,648,947, increase, 94,551. Reserve ratio, 0.67 per cent. Bank rate, 4 per cent.

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 1,191,570 shares; previous day, 622,700 shares; week ago, 644,130 shares; year ago, 465,280 shares; two years ago, 1,667,260 shares; January 1 to date, 43,298,030 shares; year ago, 59,754,657 shares; two years ago, 60,409,140 shares.

Dow-Jones Stocks

By the United Press

New York, March 27.

	High.	Low.	Close	Net ch.
30 industrials	147.83	146.24	147.47	+1.61
20 rails	30.85	30.24	30.79	+0.81
15 utilities	24.34	24.15	24.28	+0.13
65 stocks	49.45	48.85	49.33	+0.65

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	111,500
Rails	55,100
Utilities	31,300
Total	197,900

Sales.	Add	00 High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
A					
Abbott Lab	7	69¼	67¾	68¾	+ 1½
Acme Stl	1	45	45	45	— 1
Adams Exp	3	7½	7½	7½	+ ¼
Adam-Millis	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	+ ¼
Addressog	2	18¾	18½	18¾	+ ¼
Air Reduction	32	50¾	49¾	50¼	+ 1¼
Air-Way El Ap	9	⅞	¾	¾	— ⅛
Alaska Juneau	5	6¼	6¼	6¼	.....
Allegheny Corp	4	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
Allegheny pf xw	3	11	10¾	11	+ ¼
Alleg pf $30 ww	12	12⅜	11⅞	12⅜	+ 1
Alleg pf $40 ww	2	10½	10¼	10½	.....
Allegheny pr pf	2	16½	16	16½	.....
Alleg-Lud Stl	20	22⅜	21¾	22⅜	+ 1⅛
Allen Industries	4	10¾	10½	10⅝	+ ⅛
Al Chem&Dye	9	179¼	178	179¼	+ 2¼
Allied Mills	4	13⅜	13½	13⅜	+ ⅛
Allied Strs	20	8½	7¾	8¼	+ ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	22	36⅞	36	36⅜	+ ⅜
Amerada Corp	2	54¼	54¼	54¼	.....
Am Airlines	38	63¼	62	63	+ ¼
Am Bank Note	9	10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛
Am Bosch	3	7¾	7½	7¾	+ ¼
Am Brake Shoe	1	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	.....
Am Can	5	115¼	115	115¼	+ ¼
Am Can pf	2	173	173	173	.....
Am Car & Fdy	7	25¾	25¼	25½	+ ⅛
Am Car & Fdy pf	5	40¼	40¼	40¼	.....
Am Chain & Cable	7	20½	20⅛	20½	+ 1
Am Chicle	3	137	136¾	136¾	— 1
Am Colortype	4	8¾	8	8¾	+ ⅛
Am Comi Alco	13	7¾	7⅝	7⅝	+ ⅛
Am Crystal Sug	5	13	13	13	.....
Am Encaus Tl	3	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	.....
Am & FP 56pf	15	19¼	18½	19¼	+ ⅜
Am & FP 6pf	10	23½	21⅞	23½	+ 2
Am & F P 2 pf	3	5⅜	5	5⅜	+ ⅛
Am-Hawaii SS	11	31½	31	31⅜	+ ⅛
Am Hide & Lea	3	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....
Am Home Pr	13	61¼	61¼	61¼	+ ¼
Am Ice	6	3	2⅞	3	.....
Am Ice pf	2	31¾	31½	31¾	+ 1¼
Am Internat	5	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	.....
Am Inv III pf	1	52½	52½	52½	+ ⅜
Am Locomotive	11	20¾	20	20⅝	+ ⅛
Am Locomotive pf	1	54¾	54¾	54¾	+ ¼
Am M & Fdy	2	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	+ ⅛
Am M & Met	1	3	3	3	.....
Am Metal	6	24¼	24¼	24½	— ¼
Am Pow & Lt	30	3¼	3	3¼	+ ⅛
Am P&L $6 pf	10	55¾	54¼	55½	+ 1¾
Am P&L $5 pf	10	46	45	46	+ 1¼
Am Rad & St S	33	8⅞	8⅝	8¾	+ ⅛
Am Roll Mill	29	15	14⅞	15	+ ⅛
Am Safety Raz	1	12¼	12¼	12¼	+ ⅛
Am Seating	3	10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛
Am Sh Bldg	3.20	31½	30¼	30¾	+ ½
Am Smelt & R	20	49½	48¾	49⅛	+ ⅜
Am Sm & R pf	1	144	144	144	.....
Am Stl Fdrs	22	27⅜	26⅛	27¼	+ 1¼
Am Stores	2	13⅞	13⅛	13⅝	— ⅛
Am Stove	1	16	16	16	.....
Am Sugar Ref	2	19¾	19	19¾	+ ¼
Am Sugar pf	1	86½	86½	86½	.....
Am Tel & Tel	16	172⅞	172¼	172⅝	+ ⅜
Am Tobacco	7	87	86½	86½	— ½
Am Tob B	9	89¼	89	89¼	+ ¼
Am Type Fdrs	2	5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	10	9¾	9½	9¾	+ ⅛
Am W W 1 pf	2	96	96	96	.....
Am Woolen	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
Am Wool pf	7	42	41	41	+ 1¼
Am Zinc L&S	10	6½	6¼	6½	+ ⅛
Anaconda	44	29	28	29	+ 1¼
Anchor Hock Gl	2	22	22	22	+ ⅛
Anch H G pf	10	110½	110½	110½	— ¼
Andes Copper	2	12	12	12	.....
A P W Paper	3	2½	2½	2½	+ ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	4	35	35	35	— ⅛
Armour Del pf	1	109¼	109¼	109¼	+ 1⅛
Arm Ill	30	5¾	5½	5½	.....
Arm Ill pr pf	2	52¼	51¾	52¼	+ 1⅛
Armstrong Cor	32	41⅜	40	41	+ ⅛
Armstrong Const	11	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝	.....
Artloom Corp	4	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞	.....
Assd Dry Gds	40	8¾	7½	8¼	— ⅛
Assoc Inv pf	20	99	99	99	— 1
Atch T & S F	45	23½	23⅛	23	— ⅛
Atch T&S F pf	1	53¾	53¾	53¾	+ 1¾
Atl Coast Line	8	17¾	17	17¾	— 1
Atl Refining	6	22⅞	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Atlas Corp	8	9½	9¾	9½	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp pf	13	48¾	48	48¾	+ ⅛
Auburn Auto	4	1¾	1¾	1¾	+ ⅛
Aust Nichols	38	5	4⅞	4⅞	+ ⅛
Aust N pr Af	3.90	30¾	29¾	30	+ ⅛
Aviation Corp	82	7¼	6⅞	7¼	+ ⅛
B					
Bald Loco ct	26	15¼	14⅝	15¼	+ ⅛
Balt & Ohio	17	5	4⅞	5	.....
Balt & Ohio pf	5	6¼	5⅞	6¼	+ ⅛
Bangor & Ar	1	10¼	10¼	10¼	.....
Bang & A pf	1.10	43½	43½	43½	.....
Barber Asph	6	14½	14⅜	14¼	+ ⅛
Barker Bros	1	8	8	8	.....
Barnsdall Oil	11	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	.....
Bayuk Cigar	1	31⅜	31⅜	31⅜	+ ⅛
Beatrice Cream	2	28	28	28	.....
Belding-Hem	5	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Bendix Aviat	243	35¼	33⅞	35⅛	+ 1⅛
Benef Ind Ln	2	21¾	21¾	21¾	.....
Beth Steel	78	77	75½	76¾	+ 2⅜
Beth Stl 7% p	2	120¾	120	120¾	+ ¾
Bigelow-Sanf	3	28	27⅞	28	.....
Black&Decker	1	20	20	20	.....
Blaw-Knox	9	10	9¾	10	+ ⅜
Boeing A'plane	53	23⅞	22	23⅞	+ 1⅞
Bohn Al&Brass	3	26½	26¼	26½	+ 1
Bon Ami B	10	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛	— ⅛
Bond Strs	13	25¾	25¼	25⅝	+ ⅛
Borden Co	16	24¼	24	24⅛	+ ⅛
Borg-Warner	12	22⅜	21⅞	22	+ ⅛
Bower Roll Bear	3	33	33	33	.....
Brewing Cor Am	2	6⅛	6¼	6⅛	+ ⅛
Bridgeport Brass	33	11⅞	11⅜	11¾	+ ⅛
Briggs Mfg	42	22¼	21⅞	22¼	+ ⅛
Bristol-Myers	4	53¼	53	53	.....
Bklyn&Q Trans	9	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
Bklyn&QT pf ct 2		18¾	18⅜	18⅝	.....
Bklyn-Man Tr	82	22⅛	21⅝	21⅞	— ⅛
Bklyn-M Tr pf	2	91	91	91	.....
Bklyn-MT pf ct 1	4	60¼	60	60	.....
Bklyn Un Gas	3	21	20⅞	21	+ ⅛
Brunswick-B	14	27⅜	27¼	27½	.....
Bucyrus-Erie	3	9½	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Bucy-E 7% pf	20	106¾	106¾	106¾	+ ⅛
Budd Mfg	18	5¾	5½	5¾	+ ⅛
Budd Mfg pf	1.20	40	39	40	+ 1½
Budd Wheel	8	5¾	5½	5¾	+ ⅛
Bullard Co	6	25⅞	25½	25⅞	+ ⅛
Bulova Watch	3	30¼	30¼	30¼	+ ⅛
Burling Mills	40	20¼	20	20¼	+ ⅛
Bush Terminal	3	3⅞	3½	3½	+ ⅛
Bush T B pf	6.20	9	9	9	.....
Butler Bros	1	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	.....
Butler Bros pf	1	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Butte Cop&Zinc	4	3½	3½	3½	.....
Byers (AM) Co	6	12	11¼	12	+ 1
Byers(AM) pf	50	69	68	69	+ 4¼
C					
Calif Packing	3	24	23½	23½	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Lead	5	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	.....
Calumet & Hec	5	7	7	7	.....
Campbell Wyan	26	16¾	15½	16¾	+ 1⅜
Can Dry G Ale	213	23⅜	22⅝	23	+ 1
Canada Sou Ry	1	39	39	39	+ 1
Canad Pacific	20	5⅛	5¾	5¾	+ ⅛
Cannon Mills	2	39	38½	38½	+ ¼
Carpenter St	1	24	24	24	.....
Carriers & Gen	1	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	.....
Case (J I) Co	3	69½	69⅜	69½	+ 2⅜
Case(JI) pf	20	116	116	116	— ⅛
Caterpil Tract	14	50	48¾	50	+ 1¾
Celanese Corp	34	31⅝	30⅝	31⅛	+ ⅛
Celanes pr pf	1.50	117	116⅛	116⅛	— ⅜
Celotex Corp	26	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	+ ⅛
Celotex Cor pf	20	66	65	65	— 1
Cent Aguirre	1	23	23	23	.....
Cent Foundry	5	2⅞	2⅝	2⅞	.....
Cent Ill Lt pf	20	112½	112	112	.....
Cent RR NJ	2	4½	4½	4½	+ ⅛
Cen Violeta Sug	3	7¼	7¼	7¼	.....
CenturyRib pf	10	97	97	97	+ 1
Cerro de Pas	3	38	37¾	37	.....
Certain-teed Pr	11	7¼	6¾	7	+ ⅛
C-ted 6% pf	10.10	33½	30⅞	32⅜	+ 2½
Champ Pap & F	2	21½	21½	21½	+ ⅛
Cham P&F pf	50	103	102¾	102⅞	— ⅛
Checker Cab	7	29	28	29	+ 1½
Ches & Ohio	25	39¾	39½	39⅝	+ ⅛
Ches Corp	10	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	.....
Chi & N West	9	¼	¼	¼	.....
Chi & N West pf	1	¾	¾	¾	.....
Chi Grt W pf	3	2	1⅞	2	+ ⅛
Chi Mail Or	1	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
Chi M StP&P	23	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
CM StP P pf	16	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
Chi Pneu Tool	3	11¾	11⅜	11¾	+ ⅛
Ch Pneu T cv pf	1	34½	34½	34½	+ ¼
Chi Rk Is & Pac	1	¼	¼	¼	.....
CRI&Pac 6% pf	3	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Chi Yell Cab	1	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— ⅛
Childs Co	6	6½	6½	6½	— ⅛
Chile Copp	10	31⅞	31½	31½	+ ⅛
Chrysler Corp	74	86⅞	85	86½	+ 2¼
City Ice & Fuel	3	13½	13½	13½	.....
Clark Equip	20	38½	37	38½	+ 1¼
Cl El Illum pf	40	3¼	3	3¼	+ ⅛
Clev Graph Br	14	43¾	41½	42½	+ 1¾
Climax Molyb	10	39	38¾	38¾	+ ¼
Cluett Peabdy	11	43¼	42½	42⅝	— ⅛
Coca-Cola	7	123¼	122	123¼	+ 1¼
Colgate-Palm-P	27	18¾	18¼	18⅜	+ ⅛
Colins & Aik	1	31½	31½	31½	+ 1
Col & Sothn	30	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	.....
Col & So 1st pf	130	5	5	5¼	+ ⅛
Col Fuel & Iron	6	18¼	17	18	+ ¼
Colum Br cast A	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Colum Br cast B	3	24⅜	24½	24⅜	+ ⅛
Colum G & E	17	5¾	5½	5⅝	+ ⅛
Col G&E pf A	5	87	86	87	+ 1
Comdl Pict rec	2	7½	7½	7½	.....
Colum Carbon	4	98	97	98	+ 1¼
Comi Credit	10	45⅝	45¼	45½	+ ⅛
Comi Invest Tr	20	54½	54	54½	+ ⅛
Comi Solvents	317	15¾	14⅝	15¾	+ 1⅜
Com with&Sou	20	1⅛	1	1	.....
Com wlth Edis	86	32⅜	32¼	32⅜	— ⅛
Congoleum-Nairn	6	23¾	23⅜	23⅜	+ ⅛
Congress Cigar	14	12¼	11⅞	12	+ ⅛
Consol Aircr	27	28	26⅛	28	+ 1⅜
Consol Cigar	28	14⅜	13⅞	13⅞	+ ⅛
Consol Cig pf	10	85	85	85	.....
Cons Copper Mi	2	8⅝	8½	8⅝	.....
Cons Edison	30	31	30⅞	31	+ ⅛
Cons Edison pf	1	109	109	109	— ¼
Consol Film Ind	6	1	⅞	1	.....
Consol F Ind pf	3	9	9	9	— ⅛
Cons Laundries	1	4	4	4	.....
Consol Oil	71	7¼	7¼	7¼	.....
ConsolRRCubapf	1	1¾	1¾	1¾	.....
Consol'n Coal	2	3⅞	3½	3⅞	+ ⅛
Consol'n Coal pf	1	16½	16½	16½	+ ¼
Consum Pow pf	1	101½	101½	101½	— ⅛
Container Corp	2	15¾	15¾	15¾	+ ⅛
Cont Bak A	7	12⅞	12½	12½	+ ⅛
Cont Bak B	1	13	13	13	.....
Cont Bak pf	1	93½	93½	93½	.....
Cont Can	16	48½	47¼	48½	+ 1¼
Cont Can pf	2	115¼	115	115¼	+ ¼
Cont Diam Fib	12	7⅝	7	7⅜	+ ⅛
Cont Ins	12	40	39⅝	40	.....
Cont Motors	99	4⅛	3¾	4⅛	+ ⅛
Cont Oil Del	16	22⅝	22¼	22½	.....
Cont Steel	30	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛
Copperweld Stl	17	17	16⅜	17	+ ¾
Corn Exchget	70	54	54	54	+ 1
Corn Products	21	59⅞	58¾	59¾	+ ⅜
Corn Prodcts pf	1	174⅜	174⅜	174⅜	+ 1⅜
Crane Co	17	21	20¼	21	+ ⅜
Crane Co cv pf	2	101½	101½	101½	+ 1¼
Cuneo Press	2	29½	29½	29½	— ⅛
Curtis Publishg	3	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛
Curtis Pub pf	1	41½	41½	41½	+ ¼
Curtiss-Wright	307	10⅝	10¼	10⅜	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	54	9⅞	9⅝	9¾	+ ⅛
Cutler-Hammer	4	19¼	18⅞	19¼	+ ¼
Davison Chem	5	7⅝	7⅜	7⅝	+ ⅛
†Dayton P&Lpf	10	111⅜	111⅜	111⅜	— ⅛
Deere & Co	31	22	21⅞	22	+ ⅛
Deere & Co pf	3	26⅞	26¾	26⅞	+ ⅛
Del & Hudson	20	18½	18¾	18½	+ 1⅛
Del Lack&West	13	5	4⅞	5	+ ⅛
Detroit Edison	120	120	120	120	+ ⅛
†Devoe&Ray A	90	20	20	20	+ ⅛
Diamond Match	2	33⅞	33⅜	33⅝	— ⅛
Diam Match pf	1	40	40	40	+ ⅛
Diam T Motor	1	9	9	9	+ ⅛
Distil Corp-S	23	19¼	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
Dochler Die Cas	5	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	.....
Dome Mines	22	20⅜	20	20	+ ⅛
Douglas Airer	25	85½	82⅝	85	+ 2
Dow Chem	4	155½	155	155	— ½
Dresser Mfg	19	19	17⅞	19	+ 1¼
Dunhill Int	77	8⅜	8⅛	8⅛	+ 1⅛
du Pont de N	13	186½	186	186¼	+ ¼
E					
Eastern Air L	39	38	37	38	+ 1
Eastern Roll Mill	2	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	+ ⅛
Eastman Kodak	5	152	151⅜	152	+ 1
Eaton Mfg	10	33¼	33	33¼	+ ⅛
Edis Bros Strs	2	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
Elkinson Schild	24	1	⅞	1	.....
El Auto-Lite	27	39	37⅞	39	+ 1⅜
Elec Boat	31	15⅛	14⅝	15	+ ⅛
El Power&Lt	18	5¼	4⅞	5¼	+ ⅛
El Pow&Lt $6pf	12	26¾	24½	26½	+ 2⅛
El Pwo&Lt $7pf	13	30	28½	29¾	+ 1¼
El Storage Bat	2	21½	21⅜	21½	.....
El Paso Nat Gas	3	37⅞	37	37⅞	+ ⅛
Eng Pub Serv	22	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞	+ ⅛
Eng PS $5½ pf	1	85½	85½	85½	+ ½
Equit Off Bldg	1	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
Erie RR	1	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	+ ⅛
Erie 1 pf	3	2¼	2¼	2¼	+ ⅛
Evans Products	3	9¼	9¼	9¼	+ ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	50	27½	26	27⅜	+ 1½
Exchange Buffet	1	⅞	⅞	⅞	+ ⅛
F					
†Fairbks Copf	20	7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
FairbanksMorse	15	42	42	42½	+ ½
Fajardo Sugar	3	25	25	25	— ⅛
†Fed L&T pf	15	102	102	102	+ 2
Fed Mot Truck	3	4	3⅞	3⅞	.....
Fed Wat Svc A	1	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....
Federal D Strs	3	23	22½	23	+ 1
Ferro Enam	2	18	17¾	18	+ ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	4	39¾	39¼	39½	— ⅛
Firestone T&R	3	19⅜	19¼	19⅝	+ ⅛
Firest T&R pf	1	105¼	105¼	105¼	+ ⅛
First Nat Strs	9	45	44½	44⅝	+ ⅜
Flintkote	30	20⅝	19¼	20⅝	+ 1⅝
Florence Stove	3	38	37½	37½	— ⅛
Food Machinery	3	21¼	21	21¼	+ ⅛
Food Mach pf	20	107½	107½	107½	+ ¾
Foster Wheeler	1	18	18	18	+ ¼
Frank Sim pf	20	29	29	29	— 2
Freeport Sulph	1	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
G					
Gabriel Co A	4	2	1⅞	1⅞	.....
Gair (Robert)	3	2	2	2	.....
Gair (Robert) pf	2	14	13⅜	14	+ 1½
Gamewell Co	2.30	18¾	18½	18½	— ⅛
Gannett C pf	.10	105¼	105¼	105¼	+ 2¾
Gar Wood Ind	51	6¼	4¾	5¾	+ 1¼
Gaylord Cont	1	11⅞	11½	11½	+ ⅛
Gen Am Invest	13	6	6	6	.....
Gen Am Trans	4	51⅝	51¼	51⅝	+ ⅛
Gen Baking	7	7¼	7	7⅛	+ ⅛
Gen Cable	23	10½	10	10½	+ ⅛
Gen Cable A	3	21⅛	20¼	21⅛	+ 1⅜
Gen Cable pf	4	63	63	63	+ 2½
Gen Cigar	1	18	18	18	+ ⅛
Gen Cig pf	.30	117⅛	117⅛	117⅛	+ 1½
Gen Elec	38	38⅞	37¾	38⅛	+ ⅛
Gen Foods	7	48	47¾	47¾	.....
Gen G & E A	3	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....
Gen Mills	3	96¾	96	96¾	+ 1
Gen Motors	113	54¾	53⅞	54⅜	+ 1
Gen Motors pf	2	126½	126¼	126¼	— ⅜
Gen Out Advert	34	6	6	6	+ ⅛
Gen Out Ad A	6	54½	53	54½	+ 1½
Gen Print Ink	1	9	9	9	— ⅛
Gen Ry Signal	4	17	16½	17	+ ⅜
Gen Refract	6	29¾	28½	29¼	+ 1¾
Gen Shoe	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	.....
Gen Stl Cr pf	3.50	28½	27½	28	+ 1
Gen Tel	9	24	23⅝	24	+ ⅛
Gen Thea Eq	14	13¼	12½	13¼	+ ⅜
Gen T & Rub	3	20	19¾	20	+ ⅛
Gillette Saf R	9	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	.....
Gillette Saf R pf	6	50¾	50¾	50¾	+ ⅛
Gimbel Bros	19	7¾	7⅝	7⅝	— ⅛
Gimbel Br 6% pf	2	55	55	55	.....
Glidden Co	7	17½	17½	17½	+ ⅛
Gobel (Adolf)	25	3⅛	3¼	3⅛	— ⅛
Goebel Brew	2	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
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Chase, Haynes Hold Tigers As Nats Win

Limit Detroit to Four Hits in 5-2 Victory at Orlando

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off Rookie Smith and then gave Harris a tasty sample of his base running. When rookie Ed Leip bunted to Pitcher Smith, Walker raced all the way from first to third on the sacrifice. He scored on a single to left by Bloodworth.

Chase clamped down on the Tigers after a rough first inning. He walked the first batter to face him, then struck out Secory, then walked McCosky. Then Greenberg belted a double to left and the Tigers had a 1-0 lead. They scored no more runs because Cecil Travis grabbed York's hot shot to third base and cut down McCosky at the plate.

The Tigers didn't get another run until the eighth. It was partially inspired by Shortstop Hal Quick's wild throw to first base on a chance for a double play after Haynes had walked Campbell. Another walk to Averill followed and then Rudy York drove in a run with a long two-bagger into the leftfield bushes.

Haynes was shaky in the ninth despite his three-run lead. With one out, he walked Tebbetts and Pinch Hitter Pat Mullin. But Quick redeemed himself at this point by snatching Kress' hot bounder and starting a game-ending double play.

Leafs Seek Cup Finals

By the Associated Press

Detroit, March 27.—Toronto's flying Maple Leafs, needing only one more victory to enter the Stanley Cup finals for the third successive year, engage the Detroit Red Wings here tomorrow night in the second game of their play-off series.

The Leafs slipped a 2-to-1 defeat on Detroit at Toronto Tuesday night. If they win here, the Wings are eliminated from the play-offs and the Leafs will engage the winner of the Boston Bruin-New York Ranger series with hockey's most coveted trophy at stake.

Should the Red Wings even the series, the teams return to Toronto for the deciding game Saturday night.

Last year the Leafs eliminated Detroit by winning two out of three games, then lost four out of five to Boston in the finals. The year before, Toronto bowed to Chicago's surprising Blackhawks in the finals.

One thing appeared certain—the Leafs will enter the game here with more respect for the Detroit club than they had before Tuesday's close encounter.

Sports Center to Plan Night Ball Tonight

Vic Barratte, president of the Sport Center Softball League, will discuss plans for a new night circuit tonight at Joe Judge's Grill when he meets with his team managers at 8 p. m. The Sunday morning section of the league will also be talked over and final preparations for the season completed.

W. B. C. Basketball Elimination Tourney

Geo. Br.	G	FG	P
Sellers,f	0	0	0
Freeman,f	0	0	0
Abell,f	1	0	2
Lampros,c	2	0	4
Conway,g	0	0	0
Bolac,g	2	2	6
Totals	5	2	12

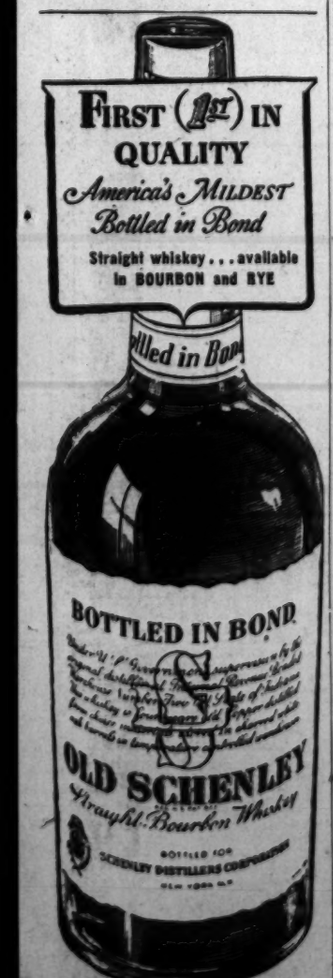
N.E. Owls	G	FG	P
Myers,f	1	1	3
Highsmith,f	0	0	0
Baird,f	0	0	0
Portwensler,c	2	0	4
Watson,c	3	0	6
Munson,g	2	0	4
Totals	6	1	13

Optimists	G	FG	P
Essex,f	7	0	14
Hannahan,f	2	1	5
Bradley,f	1	0	2
Dodge,f	4	0	8
Smith,c	3	0	6
DiCarlo,c	1	0	2
Chaney,g	3	0	6
Deck,g	0	0	0
Nisson,g	1	0	2
Totals	26	2	54

Dux	G	FG	P
Kline,f	1	0	2
Chick,g	0	0	0
Baine,f	1	0	2
Mallonee,c	1	1	3
Lowe,g	0	1	1
Spalding,g	0	0	0
Totals	3	2	8

S.E. Zips	G	FG	P
Marmo,f	2	1	5
Lazzari,f	0	0	0
Dowling,f	1	0	2
Neff,f	0	0	0
Robeson,c	2	1	5
Adba,g	2	0	8
Corbin,g	2	0	4
Teague,g	0	0	0
Totals	10	4	24

N.E. Celtics	G	FG	P
Borrows,f	1	0	2
Day,f	0	1	1
Carragher,f	4	6	14
Emex,c	4	2	10
Farrell,g	3	2	8
Matorian,g	0	0	0
Totals	12	11	35



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Doc Prothro Tries to Build Better Phillies

Has About Four Average Ball Players To Work With

By Whitney Martin.
Associated Press Sports Writer

Miami Beach, Fla., March 27.—The tepid waters lap lazily against the walled banks of the Venetian Canal hard by the hotel. In all directions is the green expanse of a golf course, with the soft breeze ruffling the fronds of the coconut palms. Wisteria replaces hysteria, and the scent of azaleas, jasmine and gardenias forms a fragrant wall against the harsh realities of life. A great place for peace-loving Ferdinand. The Phillies are here, too.

Yes, sir, down here as far from the maddening crowd of other major league clubs as the Phillies promise to be all season, Doc Prothro is trying to build a team which he hopes will finish at least a respectable last, instead of 18 games out of seventh place, as in 1939.

It's no fault of the good doctor, a grand gentleman and, baseball men will tell you, a fine manager. You can't build a mansion out of old planks or immature saplings, as through lack of farm connections and, apparently, money for the kitty, that is what Prothro is forced to try to do.

4 Players Above Average

He has about four ball players above the average in ability. The rest are either old or young, tried too much or tried too little, with a sprinkling of good, journeyman performers who can hold a job but couldn't win a championship.

The four standbys are pitchers Hugh Mulcahy and Kirby Higbe, both A-1 men; Outfielder Morrie Arnovich, who Prothro says carried the club the first three months last year, and Merrill May, dependable third baseman.

Added to this group of tried players are such veterans as the Johnson boys, Syl and Si, pitchers; Pitcher Walter Beck, First Baseman Gus Suhr and Catcher Walter Millies.

Banking on Yougsters

However, it is on yougsters that Prothro is basing his hope of finishing before dark. Three of them, to be exact. They are Dan Litwhiler, an outfielder picked up while roaming free; Robert Bragan, shortstop who right now looks like the prize of the camp, and Ed Levy, first baseman for whom the Phillies put up $15,000, conditionally. Levy was with Newark, and at one time was looked upon as Gehrig's possible successor.

Litwhiler had a knee operation last October, and Levy has been bothered by a lame ankle, so Prothro is withholding judgment on them. He really likes Bragan, and thinks the former Pensacola player will fill the bill when he gets over the jitters.

"Our real need," Prothro says, "is power, and we may make some trades before the start of the season. But we won't," he added hastily, "trade our best men.

Georgetown Nine Beats Penn, 7-4

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tiglia, Smith, Schmitt and Miller got free passes.

Another Penn walk to Miller started Georgetown's winning spree in the third. Singles by Dieckelman and Koshlap, plus Outfielder Reagan's error, finished it up.

Finally, in the eighth, McFadden sent his third single of the game screaming over the third baseman's head to score Catcher Wnek with the game's last point.

Behind the classy mound work of John Smith, Wixted and Vinnie Powers—in that order, for three innings each—Georgetown allowed only four men to reach second and two to reach third in the last seven frames. The local hurlers gave up a total of five hits, though Penn pitchers did just as well. Wixted's effort was a hitless one, though he had only one strikeout to his credit, while Powers had three.

Geo'town.	AB	H	O	A
Schmitt,cf	3	0	1	1
My'ski,3b	2	0	1	3
Ghecas,ss	3	0	0	3
Miller,1b	2	0	9	1
D'elman,rf	4	1	0	0
Blazek,c	1	0	2	1
Castlia,c	1	0	2	0
Wnek,c	0	0	3	1
Koshlap,2b	3	1	5	5
McF'den,lf	4	3	3	0
Smith,p	0	0	0	2
Wixted,p	1	0	1	1
Powers,p	1	0	0	0
*Mahoney	1	0	0	0
Totals	27	5	27	16

P'sylvania	AB	H	O	A
Penrose,3b	0	0	2	1
P'ridge,3b	3	0	3	1
Reagan,rf	3	1	1	0
McD'ald,lf	5	0	0	0
Reagan,rf	3	0	1	0
S'thouse,rf	1	0	0	0
Morris,c	4	1	5	0
Gus'son,1b	4	1	8	0
Powell,2b	4	1	2	3
McKee,cf	4	0	1	0
Davis,cf	1	1	0	0
Fawley,p	1	0	0	2
Sheiser,p	2	0	0	1
†Sachs	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	24	9

Pennsylvania	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4
Georgetown	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	1	x	—7

Runs—(Georgetown), Miller, Dieckelman, Castiglia, Wnek, Koshlap, McFadden, Smith. (Penn) Partridge, Reagan, Koepsell, Fortune. Runs batted in—McFadden (2), McDonald. Errors—Koshlap, Ghecas (2), McHarg, Reagan, Castiglia, Umpires—Morresey and Mattingly.

Gerby-Brown Win Handball Upset

Han Gerby and Bill Brown scored the biggest upset of the weekly handball handicap doubles series at the Y. M. C. A. last night when they took a 21-20, 18-21, 21-19 victory over Leonard Vineberg and Ray Nash. It was their first triumph in the two-week duration of the series.

Two other of last week's losers came through. Leidner-Lebecter turning back Bethon-Hiemke, 21-14, 21-10, and McNeill-Gabrielli taking a forfeit from Klein-Gilbert. The Wendlandt-Goldstein dua, scratch team, took its second victory when it beat LaVerde-Palazzola, 21-17, 21-16; Houlon-Collins won by forfeit from Gerber-Corrin, and Young-Kardos beat the Masterson brothers, Bob and Frank, 21-12, 17-21, 21-9.

Young's Billy Wins Open All-Age Stake

Fort Knox, Ky., March 27 (AP).—A brilliant finish in the last of nine races enabled Young's Billy, owned by H. J. Yocum, of Houston, Tex., to capture today the $1,000 open all-age stake, concluding events of the Kentucky Pointer and Setter Club's spring field trials.

Until Billy put on his fine exhibition, McEwan, owned by Mrs. F. C. Payne, of Dayton, Ohio, held a commanding lead over the field. Appalachian Lad, owned by W. W. Vanderveer, of Cleveland, Ohio, took third place.

E. P. Morey, D. C. Lawyer, Dies at 76

Prominent Attorney Was Active Mason; Funeral Tomorrow

Ellwood P. Morey, 76, prominent District lawyer and active Mason, died yesterday at his home, 1425 Rhode Island avenue northwest.

A native of Paris, Ohio, Mr. Morey was graduated from Otterbein College in Ohio. He studied law in a San Francisco law office and practiced there for eight years before coming here in 1899.

A member of the District Bar Association, Mr. Morey was past master of the Albert Pike Lodge, No. 36, Masons; a member of the Scottish Rite body of the District, and a thirty-third degree Scottish Rite Mason. He was a deputy from 1921 to 1937 for the District Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

Mr. Morey leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary B. Morey, and a daughter, Mrs. Helen Morey Paschal, wife of Lieut. Col. Paschal, instructor at the Army War College.

Funeral services will be at 11 a. m. tomorrow at Hines funeral home, 2001 Fourteenth street northwest. Burial will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

H. W. Faulkner, Engineer-Artist, Dies on Visit Here

Herbert Waldron Faulkner, 79, engineer, artist, botanist, author and woodcarver, died yesterday at Emergency Hospital during a visit to his son, Waldron Faulkner, 3415 Thirty-sixth street northwest. His home was in Washington, Conn.

Born October 8, 1860, at Stamford, Conn., he was the son of James W. and Sara Breasted Faulkner. He received his Ph. D. and mechanical engineering degrees at Sheffield Scientific School. He later studied at the Art Students League, in New York, and the Ecole des Beaux Arts and the Ecole R. Collin, in Paris. He was interested and ultimately wrote "The Mysteries of the Flowers." He pursued woodcarving as a hobby and was author of "Woodcarving as a Hobby."

His wife, the former Mary John, of England, who survives him, was with him at the time of his death. Besides his son here and Mrs. Faulkner, he is survived by another son, Louis M. Faulkner.

Mrs. Kate Vinson Funeral Is Set For Today

The funeral of Mrs. Kate Carlton Vinson, 74, wife of James D. Vinson, who died at the Methodist Home, Gaithersburg, after a long illness, will take place from the home at 2 p. m. today. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Herman M. Wilson, superintendent of the home, assisted by the Rev. J. R. Morrison, pastor of Calvary Methodist Church. Washington. Burial will be in the cemetery at Darnestown.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Vinson is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Robert Candor, Dayton, Ohio, and a brother, J. R. Moran, Falls Church, Va. She also leaves four grandchildren.

For many years, Mrs. Vinson lived in Washington where she was active in the affairs of Calvary Church.

Rites Tomorrow For F. X. Kelly, Tax Expert

Funeral services for Francis X. Kelly, 43, Internal Revenue tax expert, who died Tuesday, will be at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow at his residence, 12 Q street northeast. Requiem mass will be at 10 a. m. at St. Aloysius Catholic Church, North Capitol and K streets. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

A native of Washington, Mr. Kelly was educated at Gonzaga High School here. He was the son of the late John A. Kelly and Mrs. Nora A. Kelly, of Clahanleish, Ballyheigue, County Kerry, Ireland.

Mr. Kelly served as a sergeant with the Army Engineering Corps in France during the World War. For the last 15 years he had been connected with the Internal Revenue Bureau.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Marjorie S. Shaver Kelly, and a brother, Thomas.

Mrs. Bettie Heal, Old D. C. Resident, Rites Today

Final rites will be held today for Mrs. Bettie Becktel Heal, 85, a resident of the District for many years, who died Tuesday in Emergency Hospital after a brief illness.

Services will be conducted at 3 p. m. in Gawler's funeral home, 1756 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Burial will be in Memphis, Tenn.

Born near Natchez, Miss., Mrs. Heal was an early resident of Chevy Chase and at the time of her death lived at 3747 Huntington street northwest. The daughter of Richard K. and Eliza Jane Becktel, she was the widow of William E. Heal. A sister, Mrs. Nathalie Walkley, 1828 G street northwest, survives.

Bill Seeks PWA Loan for District Deeds Building

A bill authorizing the Public Works Administration to lend the District government $500,000 for the construction of a Recorder of Deeds office building on D street between Fifth and Sixth streets, was introduced in the House yesterday by Representative Jack Nichols (Democrat), of Oklahoma.

The measure authorizes the Commissioners to repay 55 per cent of the loan over a period of 25 years.

Chairman Jennings Randolph, of the House District Committee, introduced a bill requested by the Commissioners to authorize the District heads to prescribe fees for parking in the Municipal Center.

Two Pa. Firms Low Bidders On Airport Job

Two Philadelphia contracting companies, McCloskey & Co., and John McShain, Inc., were found to be low bidders when sealed envelopes were opened yesterday in connection with construction of the terminal, hangars and garage at Washington National Airport.

Three base bids were invited. No. 1 calls for construction of the terminal building, two hangars and garage; No. 2, the terminal, three hangars and garage, and No. 3, terminal, four hangers and garage.

McCloskey & Co. was low on No. 1, its figure being $3,049,000. Next were John McShain, Inc., $3,057,200; George A. Fuller Co., of Washington and New York, $3,059,000, and Charles A. Tompkins Co., of Washington, $3,265,000.

McShain was low bidder in both the second and third brackets, with figures of $3,422,200 and $3,787,200, respectively. Next in order, in both classifications, were McCloskey, Fuller and Tompkins.

Mass Indictments Issued by U. S. In Building Probe

Los Angeles, March 27 (AP).—Eight business trade associations, four labor unions, 38 corporations and 171 individuals were indicted today by a Federal grand jury investigating southern California's $100,000,000 construction industry.

The indictments, outgrowth of a four-month study by the grand jury, charged conspiracy or overt acts in violation of the Sherman Antitrust law.

They alleged that business firms belonging to the associations "froze out' competition by binding members not to supply materials and equipment to non-members and by agreeing on certain prices and that the labor unions refused to supply labor to non-member firms even though the firms were willing to abide by union wages and conditions.

Fire Record

Fire alarms sounded yestreday and last night included:

9:19 a. m.—Twentieth and Calvert streets northwest, leaves.

9:24 a. m.—Twenty-second and Franklin streets northeast, grass.

10:11 a. m.—St. Peter's Church, Second and C streets southeast.

10:15 a. m.—3311 Newark street northwest, house.

10:27 a. m.—Eighteenth and L streets northeast, brush.

10:50 a. m.—Bladensburg road northeast, brush.

10:52 a. m.—Queen Chapel road and Douglas street northeast, brush.

11:10 a. m.—3937 Benning road northeast, grass.

11:10 a. m.—McLean's estate, woods.

11:19 a. m.—Twenty-seventh and Q streets southeast, brush.

11:22 a. m.—2030 Hickey road northeast, brush.

11:24 a. m.—5315 Gay street southeast, shed.

11:35 a. m.—6300 Gay street southeast, brush.

11:39 a. m.—1219 Twenty-first street southeast, house.

11:54 a. m.—Seventeenth and Bryant streets northeast, brush.

12:06 p. m.—Linean avenue and Garrison street northwest, grass.

12:12 p. m.—800 Bates road northeast, brush.

12:48 p. m.—3103 Monroe street northeast, lumber pile.

12:53 p. m.—Rizss road and District line, grass.

1:21 p. m.—South Capitol and Atlantic street, woods.

1:26 p. m.—2645 Sayles street southeast, brush.

2:08 p. m.—7135 Seventh street northwest, trash and leaves.

2:11 p. m.—Forty-fourth and Warren streets northwest, leaves.

2:12 p. m.—5301 Conduit road northwest, brush.

2:18 p. m.—Twentieth and D streets northeast, grass.

2:26 p. m.—Dennian street and DeRussey street northwest, grass.

2:28 p. m.—1100 Brentwood road northeast, junk yard.

2:36 p. m.—Eleventh street and Virginia avenue southeast, grass.

2:50 p. m.—2300 Forty-fourth street northwest, woods.

2:57 p. m.—4021 Thirteenth street northeast, shed.

3:03 p. m.—Fortieth and W streets northwest, woods.

3:10 p. m.—Fifty-first and Hayes streets northeast, woods.

3:20 p. m.—762 Princeton street northwest, baby in locked room.

3:23 p. m.—1900 blocks southeast, brush.

3:37 p. m.—3121 Mount Pleasant street northwest, awnings.

3:40 p. m.—Fifth and Kennedy streets, trash.

3:49 p. m.—2009-11 Benning road northeast, grass.

3:55 p. m.—Georgia avenue and Garrison street northwest, grass.

4:26 p. m.—3921 Kansas avenue, house.

4:35 p. m.—Thirty-sixth and Davenport streets northwest, grass.

4:39 p. m.—Girls Training School, brush.

4:44 p. m.—1608 Twenty-first street southeast, trash.

4:48 p. m.—64 M street southwest, grass.

5:06 p. m.—First and Portland streets southeast, woods.

5:11 p. m.—Canal and Foles road, brush.

5:22 p. m.—5942 Georgia avenue northwest, grass.

5:38 p. m.—1623 H street northwest, trash.

5:44 p. m.—2207 H street northwest, shed.

6:07 p. m.—Nineteenth and W streets southeast, woods.

6:46 p. m.—1734 Sheridan street northwest, ice box.

7:02 p. m.—Klingle Bridge, concrete blocks.

7:25 p. m.—First and Welemington streets southeast, woods.

7:28 p. m.—2517 Ontario road northwest, refrigerator motor.

7:35 p. m.—Ninth and Jackson streets northeast, B. & O. tracks.

8:01 p. m.—1639 R street northwest, chimney.

8:40 p. m.—1201 S street northwest, taxi D. C. 20-937.

Marriage Licenses

Delbert P. Weedon, 21, 1512 Emerson street, northwest, and Hannah Bolles Cousan, 20, 3000 Connecticut avenue northwest. The Rev. H. H. D. Sterrett.

Donald James Misner, 22, 1776 Massachusetts avenue northwest, and Betty Kathryn Olsen, 22, 4478 Conduit road northwest. The Rev. William M. Bradner.

Robert Harvey Arnold, 36, of 606 F street northwest, and Edna Elizabeth Moor, 29, same address. The Rev. John E. Briggs.

Martin M. Schwartz, 32, 5820 Third place northwest, and Selma Roslyn Weiner, 28, 3044 Rodman street northwest. The Rev. Aaron Volkman.

Morton Siselman, 21, 476 F street southwest, and Frances Dorothy Sealfon, 21, 4902 Seventh street northwest. The Rev. Henry Segal.

James Edward Ellis, 21, 3226 Grace street northwest, and Gladys Elizabeth Harris, 19, 1347 Twenty-eighth street northwest. The Rev. Vincent J. Asaing.

Modesto A. Dessamito, 30, Newark, N. J., and Elizabeth Trupo, 20, same city. The Rev. Edwin H. Tuller.

Roy James Wilkins, 29, 410 G street northeast, and Grace Duclos, 22, same address. The Rev. Thomas E. Boords.

Edward John Green, 22, 2127 L street northwest, and Mary Virginia Jones, 25, same address. The Rev. J. E. Horton.

John Vincent Carey, 24, 3925 New Hampshire avenue, and Merle Gaye Ballard, 21, same address. Judge Robert E. Mattingly.

Ellwood Andrew Sprouse, 21, 1477 Newton street northwest, and Irene Spencer Phelps, 26, 1219 Vermont avenue northwest. The Rev. John E. Briggs.

Julius Goldstein, 26, Baltimore, and Sylvia Levine, 23, same city. The Rev. Morris J. Cohen.

Williams Stanback, 43, 2631 Virginia avenue northwest, and Metlow Wilkins, 26, 2220 Virginia avenue northwest. The Rev. G. B. White.

Arthur Stroman, 34, 110 L street northwest, and Florina Cooper, 23, 312 M street northwest. The Rev. Sylvester Moss.

William A. Johnson, 26, 1330 Vermont avenue, and Gaynell McLee Liles, 19, same address. Judge Robert E. Mattingly.

High Fidelity Stations Seek Public's Views

Broadcasters Urge FCC to Let Users Decide System's Merits

The Federal Communications Commission was urged yesterday to let the public decide whether "frequency modulation" radio stations—claimed to be free of static—are better than those using standard broadcast channels.

A score of stations have been using frequency modulation experimentally, on bands of 25,000 to 40,000 kilocycles, and 70 others have asked for licenses on a commercial basis. The FCC opened hearings March 18 on licensing the stations commercially.

The Radio Corporation of America and its associated companies believe the new method is ready for commercial use, Frank W. Wozencraft, R. C. A. general solicitor, told the commission yesterday.

"We believe that it is impossible for any one to predict with any certainty the future of this new service," said Wozencraft. "Naturally, ultra high frequency, also known as high fidelity sound broadcasting will be in competition with standard band broadcasting, and only the public can determine which the public will prefer, and for which it is willing to pay, through the purchase of new receiving sets."

Technical evidence of the excellence of the new method was presented for several days by spokesmen for F. M. Broadcasters, Inc., which recently organized to advance the interests of the high-frequency stations.

Police Status Asked For U. S. Guards

Guards stationed at Federal buildings would be given the status of policemen under the provisions of a bill introduced in the House yesterday by Representative Fritz G. Lanham (Democrat), of Texas.

The measure seeks to place the guards on a plane with Metropolitan and Park police but with their authority limited to Federal property.

Local Produce

(Agricultural Marketing Service.)

(Prices paid net f. o. b. Washington.)

EGGS—Prices paid for Government-graded eggs received from grading stations (March 27). Whites: U. S. Extras, large, 21@22; U. S. Extras, mediums, 17@18½; U. S. Standards, large, 18@19; U. S. Standards, mediums, 16@17; U. S. Trades, 14@16. Browns: U. S. Extras, large, 19@21½; U. S. Extras, mediums, 17@18; U. S. Standards, large, 17½@18½; U. S. Standards, mediums, 16@17; U. S. Trades, 14@16. For nearby ungraded eggs, Current Receipts: Whites, 17; Mixed Colors, 15@16.

(Note—Washington prices on graded eggs changed to new basis effective March 25. Basis now is "Prices paid for Government-graded eggs f. o. b. Washington." Under former basis prices were those paid for eggs graded and candled after arrival at Washington.)

LIVE POULTRY—Fowl: Colored, all sizes, 14@16; No. 2s, 11@13; Leghorns, 10@12. Roosters, 8@9. Chickens, Virginia Rocks: Broilers and Fryers, all sizes, 19@20; No. 2s, 11@13. Delaware Rocks and Crosses: Broilers and Fryers, all sizes, 18@19; No. 2s, 11@13. Turkeys, Old: Toms, 10; Hens, 12. Guinea Keats: Young, 1¾ lbs. and up, 16 a lb.; Old, 10 a lb. Capons, 6 lbs. and over, 20@22, few higher; No. 2s and Slips, 16@17.

Fruits and Vegetables

POTATOES—Old stock, 100-pound sacks, U. S. No. 1, Maine, Green Mountains, size A, 2.25; Katahdins and Chippewas, 2-inch minimum, 2.40@2.50; New York, Round Whites, 1.75@1.85; Wyoming, 50-pound sacks, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 1.85@1.90; Idaho, 100-pound sacks, Russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, 2.50. New stock, Florida, bushel crates, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, 2.60@2.65; fair condition, 2.50; 1½-inch minimum, 2.35@2.40; size B, 2.15.

APPLES—Bushel baskets and 1½ bushel boxes, U. S. No. 1, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia, Staymans, 2½-inch minimum, 85@1.00; 2½-inch minimum, 1.15@1.25; scalded, ripe all sizes, 75@1.00; 2¾-3 inches, 1.10@1.15; Yorks, 2¼-inch minimum, 65@75; 2½-inch minimum, 90@1.00; 2¾-3 inches, 1.10@1.25; scalded, all sizes, 75@85; Black Twigs, 2½-inch minimum, 90@1.00; Winesaps, Junaet, inch minimum, 1.00@1.15; Delicious, 2¼-inch minimum, 1.00@1.10; 2½-inch minimum, 1.25@1.35; ripe, wasty, all sizes, 75@1.00; Golden Delicious, 2¼-inch minimum, 75@85; 2½-inch minimum, 1.00@1.10; 2¾-inch minimum, 1.15@1.25; Winesaps, 2½-inch minimum, 1.00; 2½-inch minimum, 1.25@1.35; Grimes, 2¼-inch minimum, 60@65; 2½-inch minimum, 75@85; 2¾-inch minimum, 90@1.00; ripe and scalded, mostly 50. Bushel boxes and cartons, fancy, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia, Staymans, 113s-150s, 1.40@1.50; 72s-100s, 1.50@1.75; ripe and scalded, mostly 1.00; Delicious, 113s-163s, 1.50@1.65; 72s-100s, 1.65@1.75; ripe and scalded, 1.00@1.25; fancy Delicious, 113s-150s, 1.25@1.50; 88s-100s, 1.75@1.65; Romes, 113s-150s, 1.25@1.40; 80s-100s, 1.50@1.65; Paragons, 113s-138s, 1.25; 72s-100s, 1.35@1.40.

BROCCOLI—Half-crates, California, 2.75@3.00; Arizona, 3.00@3.25.

CABBAGE—Florida, 1½ bushel hampers, Domestic Round type, truck receipts packed locally, 1.10.

CELERY—Florida, standard and 16-inch crates, trimmed tops, individually washed, 4-8 dozen, 2.00@2.25; Exes, 1.75@2.00.

AVOCADOS—California, Flats, 1.75@2.25.

BEETS—Texas, ½ crates, bunched, mixed car, 1.75.

LETTUCE—Arizona, Los Angeles crates, Iceberg type, 5 dozen, 4.00@4.25, mostly 4.00, few 3.75. Florida, 1½-bushel hampers, Big Boston type, 1.25@1.50.

CAULIFLOWER—California, pony crates, mostly around 1.75.

CARROTS — California, Los Angeles crates, bunched, 2.50. Pennsylvania, bushel baskets, topped, washed, 80.

ONIONS—50-lb. sacks, U. S. No. 1, Yellows: Michigan and Ohio, 2.00. New York, 2.00; small size, 1.85. Sweet Spanish, 3 inches and larger: Idaho, 2.00.

PEAS—California, pole-peas, 3.00@3.25. Florida, small-podded varieties, 2.00@2.25.

STRAWBERRIES — Florida, 36-pint crates, 11@13 per pint.

SWEET POTATOES—North Carolina, Nancy Halls, U. S. No. 1, 1.00@1.10. Virginia, Nancy Halls, 85@90.

LIMA BEANS—Cuba, bushel hampers, 2.50@4.50, according to condition.

TOMATOES—Cuba, lug boxes, green, ripes and turning, wrapped, wide range in condition, 6x6, 4.00@4.50; 6x7, 3.00@3.50; 7x7, 2.25@2.50; repacked, 10-lb. cartons, 1.00@1.50, mostly 1.00@1.25.

KALE—Virginia, Norfolk section, bushel baskets, 80@85.

COLLARDS—Virginia, Norfolk section, bushel baskets, 60@65.

TURNIP GREENS AND CABBAGE SPROUTS—North Carolina, bushel hampers, 75.

RAPE—Virginia, Norfolk section, bushel baskets, 75.

LANDCRESS—Virginia, bushel baskets, 75.

SPINACH—Bushel baskets, Savoy type: Texas, 90@1.00. North Carolina, 90. Virginia, Norfolk section, 60@75.

ASPARAGUS — California, pyramid crates, dozen bunches, green, Extra Select, 5.50; Select, 4.00@4.50; Extra Fancy, 4.50.

MUSHROOMS—Maryland and Pennsylvania, 3-lb. baskets, 30@60.

PARSNIPS—Pennsylvania, ½-bushel baskets, 50@60.

RHUBARB—Michigan, 5-lb. cartons, 50@60.

CHICORY-ENDIVES — California, Los Angeles crates, 3.00@3.50.

RADISHES—Florida, 24-quart baskets, best, 75; poorer lower. South Carolina, crates, 1.00@1.25.

PARSLEY—Texas, ½ crates, 1.25.

ORANGES — Florida, standard boxes, 1.50@2.50; wire-bound boxes, 1.50@2.00, as to grade and size. California, boxes, 2.50@3.00, as to grade and size.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, boxes, 2.00@2.25, few special marks higher.

LEMONS—California, boxes, No. 1, 4.00@4.50; No. 2, 3.00@3.50.

GRAPES—Argentine, 24-lb. lugs, various varieties, 2.00@2.50.

HONEYDEWS—Chile, standard crates, 9s to 12s, 2.00@2.25.

PINEAPPLES—Cuba, crates, 2.50@3.00, according to condition.

(Quotations From Other Sources.)

BUTTER—93 score, tubs, 30½; 1-lb. prints, 31; ¼-lb. prints, 31½; 92 score, tubs, 29½; 1-lb. prints, 30; ¼-lb. prints, 30½; 91 score, tubs, 29¼; 1-lb. prints, 28¾; ¼-lb. prints, 29½; 90 score, tubs, 27¼; 1-lb. prints, 27½; ¼-lb. prints, 28¼; 89 score, tubs, 26¼; 1-lb. prints, 26¾; ¼-lb. prints, 27½; 88 score, tubs, 25¼; 1-lb. prints, 25¾; ¼-lb. prints, 26¼.

LIVESTOCK—Calves, 10½; lambs, 10; pigs, 120-140 lbs., 4.50@4.75; 140-160 lbs., 4.75@5.00; 160-210 lbs., 5.00@5.25; 220-240 lbs., 4.25@5.00; sows, 3.00@3.25; whole undressed calves, 9@11.

Legal Record

CIVIL ACTIONS FILED

8377—Gladys Grace Gosborn vs. Alfred Franklin Gosborn; maintenance. Attys., Joseph A. Cantrel, Daniel T. Doherty.

8378—Nathaniel H. Berman vs. Martha Berman; absolute divorce. Atty., David L. Blanken.

8379—Oscar Diskin vs. Patrick H. McCormick; ejectment, etc. Atty., Isadore Brill.

6380—Arthur O. Etienne vs. Kahn-Oppenheimer, Inc.; damages, $25,000. Attys., Ralph H. Case, Levi H. David.

6381—Adele M. Bowman vs. Albert P. Bowman; maintenance. Atty., P. Bateman Ennis.

6382—Lucy Mary Croson vs. Raymond Leo Croson; absolute divorce. Atty., Joseph D. DiLeo.

6383—Mary E. Miller vs. John Milton Miller; limited divorce. Attys., Cobb, Howard & Hayes.

6384—Richard C. D. Hunt, jr., vs. The Washington Loan & Trust Co., et al.; to substitute trustee. Atty., Richard B. Talley.

6385—Bernadette C. Crump vs. Rossor C. Crump; absolute divorce. Atty., John T. Bonner.

6385—Lee Hodgkin, et al., vs. Lela W. Hand; to confirm contract of sale. Atty., Douglas A. Clark.

6387—Rose Bressler, et al., vs. William W. Lamond, et al.; damages, $15,000. Atty., Myer Koonin.

6388—John P. Few vs. Frank T. Hines, Admr.; to set aside forfeiture, etc. Atty., C. L. Dawson.

6389—John F. Moran vs. Frederick J. Young, Receiver, et al.; interpleader. Attys., Kremer & Bingham.

6390—Georgetta Bruner vs. Wilbur K. Bruner; limited divorce. Atty., H. Eugene Bryan.

6391—Jesse James vs. State Finance Co.; trespass, $5,000. Atty., H. Eugene Bryan.

6392—Emily Auth, et al., vs. The National Bank of Washington, et al.; injunction, etc. Atty., Warren Craven.

EX PARTE PROCEEDINGS

Justice Letts

792—Cheakalos vs. Doonis; order for oral examination of garnishees April 4.

55645—In re Frederick J. Young, Receiver; order authorizing settlement with Miriam E. Johnson in Civil Action 3715.

519—Frene vs. Clarence W. Gosnell, Inc.; order consolidating with 586 for trial.

3366—Berens vs. Berens; order confirming stipulation and dismissing cause without prejudice.

5157—Chisholm vs. Chisholm; rule returnable first Friday.

6381—Bowman vs. Bowman; rule returnable first Friday.

6379—Diskin vs. Dhkin; rule returnable fifth day.

67498—Lowman vs. Lowman; order for adjudication and commitment.

66449—Estep vs. Estep; order for adjudication and commitment.

2726—Marvins Credit, Inc., vs. Johnson; order appointing Max Blum receiver for sale of property and judgment; bond, $300.

61403—Burton vs. Burton; rule returnable first Friday.

5186—Gravatte vs. Nash, et al.; order overruling motion to dismiss amended complaint; 10 days to answer.

5865—Harris vs. Harris; order for alimony.

2390—Neff vs. Neff; consent order dismissing complaint and cross-complaint without prejudice.

51442—Spruill vs. Ballard, et al.; order extending time to file record on appeal to April 11.

5995—Moretti vs. unknown heirs, etc., of Charles Wayman; order of publication.

5578—Buccholz vs. Schundler; order for amended complaint and bill of particulars.

5729—Gates, et al., vs. Meyer, et al.; order overruling motion to dismiss; 15 days to answer.

5730—Gates, et al., vs. Washington Daily News, et al.; as above.

5330—Manasina vs. Lenkin; order for production of documents.

178, 186—Prudential Insurance Co. vs. Saxe, et al.; order overruling motion of Insurance Co. for summary judgment.

66434—In re Montgomery Bldg. &

Army and Navy Assignments

ARMY

LIEUTENANT COLONELS

Walter M. Crandall, MC., Brooks Field, Tex., to Washington, D. C.

Julian W. Cunningham, C., Hartford, Conn., to Fort Bliss, Tex.

Charles R. Mueller, MC., Washington, D. C., to Fort Jay, N. Y.

MAJORS

Gilmer M. Bell, IGD., Fort Hayes, Ohio, to Philippine Dept.

Paxton S. Campbell, MC., Philippine Dept., to Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Leo J. Dillon, OD., Washington, D. C., to San Francisco, Calif.

John D. Forsythe, Inf., University, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept.

Russell G. Ayers, Inf., Albuquerque, N. Mex., to Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Lloyd C. Blackburn, AC., Philippine Dept., to Kelly Field, Tex.

Guy L. McNeil, AC., Philippine Dept., to Shreveport, La.

Lester J. Maitland, AC., Barksdale Field, La., to Philippine Dept.

CAPTAINS

James W. Andrew, AC., Randolph Field, Tex., to Philippine Dept.

David A. Taylor, C., East Lansing, Mich., to Fort Knox, Ky.

James C. Carter, FD., Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., to Fort Hamilton, N. Y.

Raymond T. Beurket, CWS., Fort Sill, Okla., to Washington, D. C.

Harry W. Crandall, FD., Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Fort Snelling, Minn.

Charles R. Landon, AGD., Washington, D. C., to Philippine Dept.

Raymond C. Maude, SC., Hawaiian Dept., to Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Arthur W. Meehan, AC., Mitchel Field, N. Y., to Hawaiian Dept.

Robert H. Kelly, AC., Hawaiian Dept., to Anacostia, D. C.

Francise O. Wood, FA., Fort Lewis, Wash., to Panama Canal Dept.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS

Cecil E. Combs, AC., Philippine Dept., to March Field, Riverside, Calif.

James R. Gunn, AC., Philippine Dept., to Langley Field, Va.

Richard A. Grussendorf, AC., March Field, Calif., to Philippine Dept.

Chalmer K. McClelland, Jr., OD., Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Hawaiian Dept.

John A. Berry, Jr., Fort Sill, Okla., to Fort Lewis, Wash.

Walter J. Bryde, FA., Fort Sill, Okla., to Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.

Sam C. Russell, CAC., Cambridge, Mass., to Fort Monroe, Va.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS

Floyd J. Pell, AC., March Field, Calif., to Philippine Dept.

Robert M. Stegmier, QMC., Philadelphia, Pa., to Panama Canal Dept.

Robert M. Williams, Inf., Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Panama Canal Dept.

NAVY

COMMANDER

Andrew Crinkley, det. Patrol Wing One; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS

Warren W. Harvey, to CO, Fighting Sqd. 3 (U. S. S. Saratoga).

Charles J. Maguire, det. U. S. S. West Virginian in May or June; to Nav. Academy.

Steadman Teller, to CO, Torpedo Sqd. 2 (U. S. S. Lexington).

LIEUTENANTS

James F. Byrne, det. staff, Cdr., Base Force, abt. June 5; to Bu. Ord., Navy Dept.

Warner R. Edsal, det. U. S. S. Potomac in May; to U. S. S. S-34.

Leonard O. Fox, det. Obs. Sqd. 4 (U. S. S. Colorado) abt. June 1; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Thomas O. Oberrender, jr., det. U. S. S. Hull abt. June 15; to off. of Nav. Inspr. of Machy., New York Shipbldg. Corp., Camden, N. J.

John H. Simpson, det. U. S. S. Cassin abt May 10; to Asst. Nav. Inspr. of Ord., Ford Instrument Co., Long Island City, Long Island, N. Y.

Douglas E. Smith, det. Nav. Oper., Navy Dept., abt April 6; to Asiatic Fleet.

Clarence O. Taff, det. Patrol Sqd. 41.

John H. Thomas, upon disch. trt., Nav. Hosp., Mare Island, Calif., to duty U. S. S. Kanawha.

Dwight H. Wilson, det. U. S. S. Holland; continue trtmt. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Walter C. Winn, det. U. S. S. Conyngham abt May 10; to Nav. Oper., Navy Dept.

LIEUTENANTS (J. G.)

James V. Bewick, det. U. S. S. Lamberton abt June 24; to U. S. S. West Virginia.

Joseph H. Bourland, det. U. S. S. Sargo abt July 1; to instn. Naval Academy.

Ignatius J. Galantin, det. U. S. S. Argonaut abt June 15; to U. S. S. S-27.

Arthur R. Gralla, det. U. S. S. Bagley abt June 29; to instn. Naval Academy.

Amos T. Hathaway, det. U. S. S. Craven abt May 20; to U. S. S. Boise.

William S. Howell, det. U. S. S. Dorsey in June; to U. S. S. Louisville.

Frank M. Parker, det. U. S. S. Gamble abt June 1; to U. S. S. Argonaut.

Charles E. Phillips, det. U. S. S. West Virginia in June; to Naval Academy.

Forrest M. Price, det. U. S. S. Wasmuth; continue trtmt. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif.

Robert D. Risser, det. U. S. S. Saury abt July 1; to instn. Naval Academy.

John P. Booth, det. U. S. S. Nashville abt June 1; to Subm. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Arthur Chester Smith, det. cfo U. S. S. Tambor in July; to instn. Naval Academy.

James A. Thomas, det. Scts. Sqd. 2 (U. S. S. Lexington) in May; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Charles W. Travis, det. U. S. S. Lamberton abt June 1; to U. S. S. California.

Warren L. Hunt, det. U. S. S. Cincinnati abt March 15; to U. S. S. Wasmuth.

Richard W. Lombard, det. U. S. S. Colorado abt May 1; to U. S. S. Dunlap.

Medical Corps

CAPTAINS

John B. Kaufman (M. C.), det. 14th Nav. Dist. in June; to dist. med. off., 4th Nav. Dist.

Carleton I. Wood (M. C.), det. Subm. Base, Coco Solo, C. Z., in June; to Nav. Dispensary, Long Beach, Calif.

COMMANDERS

Charles P. Archambeault (M. C.), det. U. S. S. Arizona; to Mar. Brks., Quantico, Va.

Arthur H. Dearing (M. C.), det. U. S. S. California; to Nav. Hosp., Mare Is., Calif.

Frederick W. Muller (M. C.), det. U. S. S. Relief; to Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Thomas H. Taber (M. C.), det. U. S. S. Cincinnati; to Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER

Albert J. Desautels (M. C.), det. duty Nav. Hosp., Ports., Va.; continue trt. Nav. Hosp., Ports., Va.

LIEUTENANTS

Louis E. Gille (M. C.), det. Nav. Hosp., Bkln., N. Y.; to U. S. S. Spica.

Wade S. Risk (M. C.), granted sick leave two months; upon expiration, await orders, Bkln., N. Y.

Supply Corps

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS

Leonard A. Klauer (S. C.), ors. March 2 modified; to Nav. Ord. Plant, So. Charleston, W. Va.

Malcolm A. Norcross (S. C.), det. U. S. S. Houston in May; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

LIEUTENANT

Versil L. Marsh (S. C.), ors. December 12 further modified; to Nav. Supply Depot, Norfolk, Va.

Civil Engineer Corps

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER

George R. Brooks (C. E. C.), det. Nav. Oper. Base, San Diego, Calif., in March; to 13th Nav. Dist.

Chaplain Corps

Lieut. Frank R. Hamilton (Ch. C.), det. Nav. Academy about June 15; to U. S. S. Yorktown.

Lieut. (j. g.) Martell H. Twitchell (Ch. C.), det. U. S. S. Portland about May 6; to Subm. Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Warrant Officers

Boatswain Herbert F. Hugo, det. U. S. S. Kingfisher in May; to U. S. S. Challenge.

Chief Gunner Jesse L. Holloway, det. U. S. S. Whitney about May 15; to Ford Instrument Co., Long Island City, Long Island, N. Y.

Chief Machinist Robert Farris, det. U. S. S. Dobbin in May; to Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Chief Electrician Elwood L. Knaus, det. U. S. S. Vincennes about March 15; to U. S. S. Rigel.

Chief Electrician Wilbur J. Meade, det. U. S. S. New Orleans about May 1; to U. S. S. Rigel.

Chief Radio Electrician Clifton Evans, jr., det. staff, Cdr., Patrol Wing 4 in June; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Chief Carpenter Harry P. Cummings, det. Nav. Oper. Base, Norfolk, Va., about April 5; to U. S. S. Whitney.

Pay Clerk Harold A. Applegate, det. U. S. S. San Francisco on June 1; to U. S. S. California.

Acting Pay Clerk Francis E. Shea, det. U. S. S. California on June 1; to U. S. S. San Francisco.

Nurses

Doris D. Eddy, nurse, det. Nav. Hosp., Wash., D. C., about April 24; to U. S. S. Relief.

Margaret A. Nash, nurse, det. Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I., about April 13; to Nav. Hosp., Mare Is., Calif.

Marie Williams, nurse, det. Nav. Hosp., Mare Is., Calif., in May; to U. S. S. Relief.

Bids and Proposals

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., Washington, March 28, 1940. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 320, District Bldg., until 10 o'clock a. m., APRIL 11, 1940, for furnishing two motor driven pumping units for Water Dept., D. C. Specifications and information at Room 320, District Bldg. 28,29,30

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, March 26, 1940. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 509, District Building, until 2 p. m., APRIL 16, 1940, and then publicly opened for construction of certain dormitory buildings at the District Training School, D. C., situated about three (3) miles from Laurel, Maryland. App'y Room 427, District Building, for proposals and specifications. 26,27,28,29,30,1.

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, March 25, 1940. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 509 District Building until 2 o'clock p. m., April 8, 1940, and then publicly opened for grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving the roadway of North Capitol street between Farragut place and New Hampshire avenue with about 11,500 square yards of reinforced cement concrete pavement, or alternate. The attention of bidders is directed to the special provisions covering sub-letting or assigning of contract and to the use of domestic materials. Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract. The Acting Director, District of Columbia Employment Center, is Mr. Edwin Jones, 808 E street northwest.

Legal Notices

JOHN COLGAN SHAW, Attorney for Plaintiffs, Investment Building.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. Nora Costello, 4213 Thirty-seventh street northwest, and Mary F. Grace, 326 P street northeast, Washington, D. C., administratrices and trustees of Mary A. Regan, deceased, plaintiffs, vs. W. W. Metcalf, the unknown heirs, alienees and devisees of W. W. Metcalf, defendants, No. 6074. Order. The object of this suit is to perfect of record by adverse possession plaintiffs' title to lot No. 166, in square No. 859, in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, being described as follows: Beginning for the same at the northeast corner of said lot and running thence south 70.25 feet, thence west 52.875 feet, thence north 70.25 feet to a public alley, thence east 52.875 feet to the place of beginning. On motion of the plaintiffs, it is this 26th day of March, 1940, ordered that the defendants, W. W. Metcalf, his unknown heirs, alienees and devisees cause their appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring on the expiration of forty days after the day of the first publication hereof, otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default, provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post, before said date, and other publication being dispensed with for satisfactory cause shown by the complainant. JAMES M. PROCTOR, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By HARRY M. HULL, Assistant Clerk. 28,4,11

SYLVESTER J. AQUINO, Attorney 1010 Vermont Ave. N.W.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. Anne Capanelli, plaintiff, vs. Andrew Burgess, his unknown heirs, alienees and devisees, defendants. Civil case No. 5717. Order of publication for unknown defendants. The object of this suit is to establish of record the plaintiff's title to parcel one and parcel two as follows: Parcel 1. Part of lot No. 17 of Dundas subdivision of Bayley's purchase and Fortune Enlarged; beginning at a stone planted on the southerly line of Alabama avenue, where the same is intersected by the south line of said lot numbered seventeen (17), and running thence with said avenue, south 75 degrees 33 minutes west, 141.84 feet; thence south 38 degrees 18 minutes east, 53.39 feet, thence north 53 degrees 27 minutes east, 122.79 feet to the beginning, containing 3,463.06 square feet as shown on plat recorded in Survey Book 71 page 51 of the records of the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia, and being a part of the tract conveyed to Elizabeth L. Mishaw by deed recorded in Liber 2495 at folio 281 of the Land Records of said District in which said parcel is called part of the tract of "Aaron." Parcel 2: Part of lot numbered two (2) of D. D. Carpenter's survey of a part of "Nonesuch" made November 19, 1869, described as follows: Beginning for the same at a blue stone planted midway of the northwesterly line of said lot numbered two (2) and running thence easterly along said line to a blue stone planted at the corner of lot numbered one (1) of said survey conveyed to Romeo Herbert by deed recorded in Liber 1050 at folio 273 of the Land Records of the District of Columbia; thence along dividing line of lots numbered one (1) and two (2) to a blue stone planted at the corner of lot numbered three (3); thence along dividing line between said lot numbered two (2) and lot numbered three (3) conveyed to Bruce Dent by deed recorded in Liber 715 at folio 74 of the Land Records of the District of Columbia, to a planted blue stone in the southeasterly line of said lot numbered two (2); thence to beginning by a line approximately parallel with the easterly line of said lot numbered two (2); except so much of said land as was condemned and taken by proceedings in District Court Cause No. 1062 for widening of Alabama avenue. On motion of the plaintiff it is this 26th day of March, 1940, ordered that the defendant, the unknown heirs, devisees and alienees of Andrew Burgess, cause their appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring after the expiration of forty days exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, from the day of first publication of this order, otherwise the case will be proceeded with as in case of default provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in The Washington Post and Washington Law Reporter prior to said rule day, good cause having been shown why longer publication is unnecessary. JAMES M. PROCTOR, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By JOHN O. BOWEN, Assistant Clerk. 28,4,11

Vital Statistics

Births

Wilson and Mary Horsman, boy.
William and Alberta Jackson, boy.
Robert and Florence Speich, girl.
Ralph and Ruby Copenhaver, girl.
Edward and Alta Young, girl.
Alan and Susan Sweezy, girl.
George and Mildred Nolte, girl.
Paul and Mary Recchione, girl.
David and Beatrice Petrushansky, girl.
Robert and Mary Hartley, girl.
Joseph and Frances Pryor, boy.
George and Lillian Wilkinson, jr., boy.
Clarence and Rose Wright, boy.
Maurice and Rose Schleim, boy.
Charles and Margaret Bird, girl.
Raymond and Laura Toff, girl.
Paul and Gem Milde, boy.
John and Eunice Dowdy, girl.
Charles and Edythe Logan.
George and Sallie Buchheister, girl.
Louis and Rose Alfandre, girl.
Angelo and Mary Edwards, girl.
Henry and Sylvia Snyder, girl.
Louis and Beatrice Silverman, girl.
Earl and Mary Hackett, girl.
Leon and Thelma Peplinski, girl.
William and Martha Taylor, boy.
Peter and Marjorie Marshall, boy.
Milton and Arline Rose, boy.
Warren and Mary Stahl, boy.
Charles and Mary Crockett, girl.
Robert and Grace Abbey, girl.
Russell and Dorothy Suiter, girl.
Arthur and Theodosia Clement, boy.
Bradley and Mozelle Duvall, boy.
Theodore and Mary Persons, girl.
Frederick and Audrey Greene, girl.
Henry and Dorothy Clarke, boy.
Joseph and Mattie Ellerbee, boy.
Theodore and Mary Cardwell, boy.
Roy and Elizah Cobb, boy.
John and Evelyn Ewell, boy.
Lucius and Mazzie Williams, girl.
Robert and Jessie Kinard, boy.
Valentino and Anna Pringle, boy.
George and Grace Summers, girl.
James and Juanita Thomas, girl.
Salvador and Violet Hiponia, girl.
Warren and Lillian Reed, boy.
William and Hattie Warkeman, boy.
Robert and Pearline McCloud, boy.
James and Anna Hill, boy.

Deaths

Nora M. Daly, 86, 1434 Whittier st. nw.
Ernestine A. Cozzins, 85, 2602 Mozart pl. nw.
Virginia Trew, 84, 2920 10th st. ne.
John W. Hanback, 82, 641 Lexington pl. ne.
George Perrott, 78, 414 Seward sq. st. se.
William Wagner, 77, Gallinger Hospital.
Pauline Schiedumantel, 77, 220 H st. ne.
Susie B. Sewell, 72, 624 A st. ne.
Emilie L. Mann, 70, 1339 H st. nw.
David E. Traboid, 70, 609 Kennedy st. nw.
Harry D. Yates, 70, 21 V st. ne.
Isabelle A. Cox, 69, 5425 8th st. nw.
Isidor J. Nau, 59, 15 S st. nw.
Bernard Brealau, 57, Gallinger Hosp.
Anna J. Neu, 57, Georgetown U. Hosp.
Harry Wakenight, 53, 809 14th st. nw.
Merton C. Hisbie, 47, Mt. Alto Hosp.
Omar L. Bachand, 36, Sibley Hosp.
James C. Creed, 36, 2126 9th st. nw.
Robert Vance, 82, Home for Aged and Infirm.
Lewis A. Marshall, 82, St. Elizabeths Hosp.
Mary F. Birch, 67, 64 Pierce st. nw.
John E. Goss, 64, 1513 Kingman pl. nw.
Annie B. Grayson, 58, 2216 H st. nw.
James Taylor, 46, 1708 9th st. nw.
Daisy Williams, 46, Freedmen's Hosp.
Ruth Eskridge, 41, Gallinger Hosp.
Edward T. Haynes, 28, Freedmen's Hosp.
Viola Nelson, 27, Gallinger Hosp.
Harmon Fulton, 1, 11 Myrtle st. ne.

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Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 20 cents.

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Help—Male-Female 13

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Situations—Female 16

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Situations—Male-Female 18

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Instructions 19

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Wanted—Houses 67

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8 ACRES on concrete road, 9 miles from Washington. The house can be finished for less than $1,000 and will have 7 rooms, tile bath, hot-water heat, full basement, fireplace and elec. A dependable stream runs through the 2 acres of woods. Price as is, $6,500; $1,000 down, balance $40 per month. See MASON HIRST, Annandale Va., at the end of Columbia pike. Phone Alexandria 869-J-1. Closed Sundays.

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7 rooms and bath; brand-new; (same block); air-conditioned heat; $6,500.
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$4,200—Act Quickly—$4,200
Arlington—Brick efficiency bungalow; h.-w. h.; firepl.; built 4 yrs.; on bus line; near school; attr. terms. CH. 1747; eve., CH. 4422

SOMETHING DIFFERENT
In exclusive Jefferson Park, 12 minutes from downtown Washington on a large, heavily wooded lot. Colonial home with 6 large rooms, 2½ baths. Living room 12x21; master bedroom 13x18 and other rooms of proportionate size. Exceptionally large closets. This home is worth your immediate inspection. WESLEY BUCHANAN, 1501 Columbia pike. CH. 1341.

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Here is an English-type 3-bedroom, 2-bath house. Lovely living room with fireplace, bedroom and bath on first floor. Two lovely bedrooms and bath on second floor. Complete with laundry chutes, cedar-lined closets, built-in cedar-lined window seats. Complete in every detail. Would consider small down payment to responsible person
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TERMS LIKE RENT.
THE BEST BUY IN VIRGINIA.
New 6-room, 2-story brick, all improvements; wooded section; near 2 schools; out new Lee Blvd. to Court House rd., right to 15th st., right to home. OX. 1819; eves., CH. 5517.

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Brand-new home foreclosed. In Arlington's best residential section. On wooded lot 60x196. This home and garage are built of solid stone 18-inch walls with heavy slate roof. House contains dining room, living room, kitchen, bedroom and ½ bath on 1st floor; 3 bedrooms and bath on second floor. Stone recreation room with real fireplace. Air-conditioned. Satisfactory terms. J. WESLEY BUCHANAN, 1501 Columbia pike. CHestnut 1341.

Sale—Farms, Land 73

BOOKLET of Maryland farms for sale mailed on request. LEE COUNSELMAN, 8867 Wisconsin ave., Bethesda, Md.

150 ACRES (30 clear)—Fair house and barn; 2 miles from La Plata, on dirt road. Bargain, $1,250, terms.
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SPECIAL $6,500—$350 CASH—$40 MO.
3½ acres, corner; 2 roads. Modern, 4 large bedrooms, also store room for business. Fine for rest home, dog kennel, poultry or truck farm. Stream, sparkling spring, large oaks, flowers, fruit. 5 miles D. C. JOHN BURDOPT, Colesville, Md. AShton 3846.

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6-room house, outbuildings, elec., telephone, swift stream, 4 acres woods, balance under cultivation; good road; 11 mi. D. C. J. Burdoft, Colesville, Md. ASh. 3846.

Sale—Out-of-Town 75

OKLAHOMA.

10 ACRES Atoka Co., Okla., includ. oil and mineral rights; 3 wells now being drilled in adjoining township. Owner, EM. 7476.

Real Estate Wanted 76

All cash buyers for NE. and SE. properties. Gunn & Miller, 500 11th se. AT. 1130.

CASH FOR YOUR HOUSE, white or colored; immed. settlement; best offer. See MR. BORNSTEIN before selling. DI. 7545.

NEED more houses, clients waiting; quick results. KAY REALTY CO. RA. 2200.

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Business Opportunities 77

BEAUTY SALON, daylight, modern neighborhood shop reas., good bus. WO. 9766.

BEAUTY SHOP (50c)—$125 to $150 wkly. Unusually well equipped; 2 perm. machines, 7 dryers; nice floors; low rent. Owner transferred. $1,000. Terms.

GROCERY and meat market, including living quarters; sale or lease. FR. 9597.

GROCERY—TAKOMA PARK.
Rent, $65. Receipts, $550 per week. Same owner 13 years. Plenty of stock, good fixtures. Only $3,900.
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IMMEDIATE possession—THE SHAMROCK, furnished, modern house, cabins, lunchroom; north of Strasburg, Va., Route 11. Premises of Mrs. Zoe Cherrz, Strasburg.

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Right downtown; 17 rooms. Ideal loc.; no vacancies. Price, $750.
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SUPERMAN (A New Post Comic "King of the Royal Mounted" Starts Sunday) By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

HO! HO! WAS THAT SIMP EASY TO TAKE IN!
EASY MONEY!
MIND IF I PLAY?
WH-WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?
NEVER MIND. THE QUESTION IS, DO YOU WANT TO PLAY A GAME?
WITH A ROLL LIKE THAT--
YES!
THE GAME IS ON--!
("-THE FOOL! HE HASN'T A CHANCE TO WIN AGAINST THIS CROOKED DECK!-")
("- IF THESE WOLVES ONLY KNEW THAT BECAUSE OF MY X-RAY VISION I CAN READ THRU THE CARDS' BACKS!")
LATER--!
AND THAT, GENTLEMEN, IS THAT!
("-HE WON'T HAVE OUR MONEY FOR LONG! THIS KNOCK-OUT PILL SHOULD DO THE TRICK!-")

JOE PALOOKA (Watch for "King of the Royal Mounted"—New Post Comic) BY HAM FISHER

WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?? WHAT HAPPENED--- WHY YOU'RE A DIFFERNT MAN--I THO'T YOU--
YOU'RE COMIN' T'LUNCH WITH US. DON'T AST NO QUESTIONS NOW. YOU'LL SEE. LA-LA-TEE-DUM.
AW C'MON KNOBBY TELL ME--WHAT'S THE BIG SECRUT? I'M GOIN' CRAZY WITH CURIOUSATRY.
YOU'LL SEE. HA! HA!
BETTY--
KNOBBY! ---OH HONEY--I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW SORRY I AM I WAS LATE-- I--FERGOT WHERE MY FURS WAS.
I GOT HERE A LITTLE EARLY-- IT'S PERFECKLY OKAY AN'---I WANTCHA T'MEET MY PAL---
OH--UH-- WHAT WERE YOU SAYING---

WINNIE WINKLE ("King of the Royal Mounted" Joins Post Comics Sunday) BY BRANNER

AH, THIS GENTLEMAN WILL DANCE THE WALTZ WITH MISS WINKLE! THANK YOU, SIR!
I'LL BET YOU HAD A SPAGHETTI DINNER BEFORE YOU CAME OVER HERE!
WHHHY, WHHHAT DO YOU THINK OF THAT -
YES, I HAD A BIG SPAGHETTI DINNER, BUT HOW DID YOU KNOW?
OH, A LITTLE BIRD TOLD ME ----
- A LITTLE GARLIC BIRD - WHEW!!

MR. AND MRS. (Like Adventure? Don't Miss New Post Comic Starting Sunday) BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER

THERE! ISN'T THAT A NICE SALAD? DIDN'T I GARNISH IT WELL?
LOOKS VERY TASTY
I'LL SPEAR JUST ONE SLICE OF PICKLED BEET. NO HARM IN THAT
WHY DID YOU MOVE THIS BOWL? I HAD IT JUST WHERE I WANTED IT. I WISH YOU'D LEARN—
OH! YOU DROPPED BEET ON THE TABLE CLOTH! A CLEAN CLOTH, TOO. AND THEN YOU TRIED TO HIDE THE STAIN!
SHUCKS! SLAP A NAPKIN OVER IT, LIKE THEY DO IN RESTAURANTS
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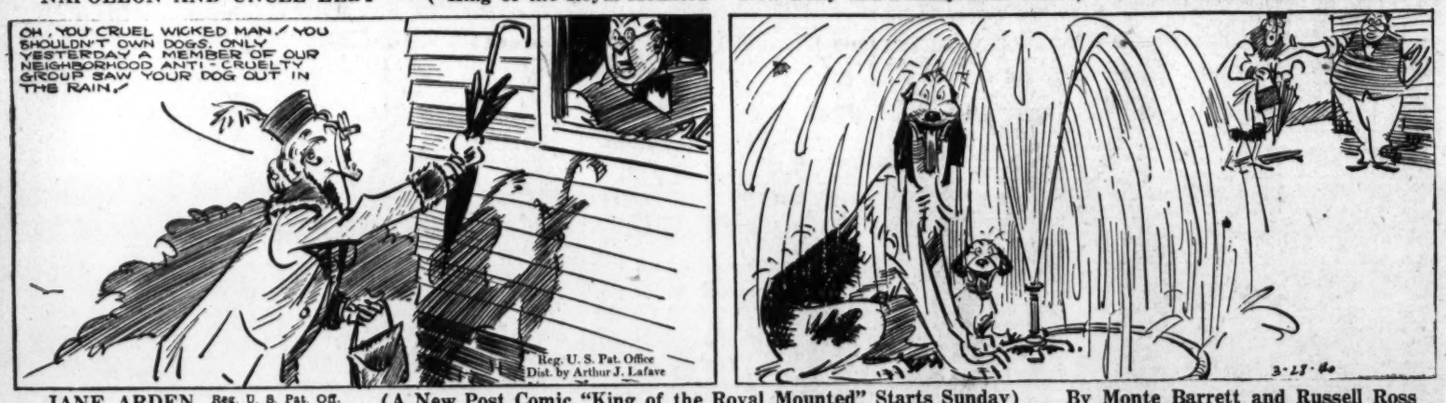
NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY ("King of the Royal Mounted"—New Daily and Sunday Post Comic) BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE


OH, YOU CRUEL WICKED MAN! YOU SHOULDN'T OWN DOGS. ONLY YESTERDAY A MEMBER OF OUR NEIGHBORHOOD ANTI-CRUELTY GROUP SAW YOUR DOG OUT IN THE RAIN!
Reg. U. S. Pat. Office
Dist. by Arthur J. Lafave

JANE ARDEN Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. (A New Post Comic "King of the Royal Mounted" Starts Sunday) By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

HIP BOOTS, A FLASHLIGHT AND A RAKE— I'VE GOT 'EM ALL, BUT I DON'T GET THIS!
TOOLS OF OUR TRADE TONIGHT, CUB— IF MY HUNCH IS RIGHT, WE'RE GOING TO UNCOVER A STORY—
THIS POOL MUST BE IT— HE HAD TO WORK FAST!
WHO HAD TO DO WHAT? WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR ANYWAY?
I'M NOT SO SURE MYSELF— SOME SORT OF WEAPON— AND THIS IS THE LOGICAL PLACE FOR IT—
I'LL START ON THIS SIDE, AND RAKE THE BOTTOM, STRAIGHT ACROSS!

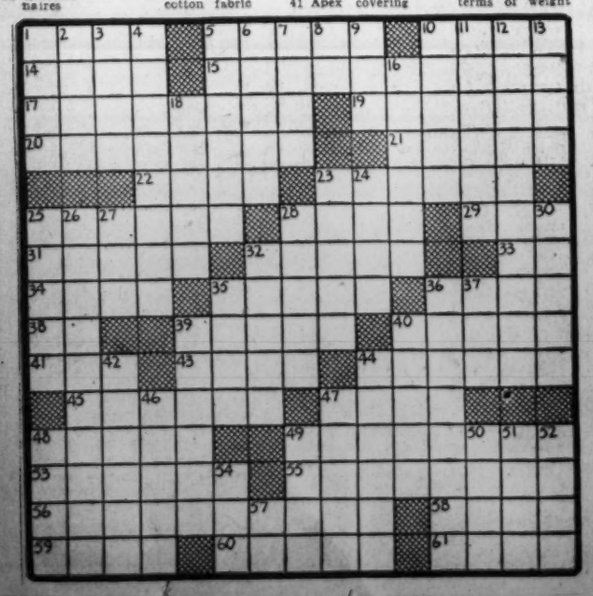
Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Things done
5 Bondsman
10 Cant to one side
14 Vex
15 Repose
17 Near death
19 Break in continuity
20 Guidance
21 Questionnaires
22 Olfactory organ
23 Legging
25 Garland
28 Peruvian tobacco
29 That which has existence
31 Tract of waste land
32 Canvaslike cotton fabric
33 Thing implied
34 Land measure
35 Marine
36 Insignificant trifle
38 Greek letter
39 Old English dance
40 Clayey
41 Apex covering
43 Word of conclusion
44 Obscurely
45 Annual church celebration
47 Prayer
48 African tree
49 Certain
53 Covered bottle
55 Estimated in terms of weight
56 Bleaching
58 Rescue
59 Party
60 Lively Bohemian dance
61 Gliding contrivance: var.

DOWN.

1 Fortifies
2 Ducklike bird
3 Exhaust
4 Estrange
5 Suppress
6 Sudden thrust
7 Military assistant
8 Brother of Odin
9 Curved letter
10 Spartan slave
11 A coming in
12 World-wide
13 Minus
16 Levantine garment
18 Thin soup
23 Irreligious person
24 Single
25 Breeze fly
26 Convalesce
27 Spike of cereal
28 Month of Jewish calendar
30 Floor
32 Sway
33 Appoint
36 Stronghold
37 Kind
39 Traverse for watching or protecting
40 American naturalist
42 Medical
44 Chaperon
46 Wooden shoe
47 Gesture of derision
48 Tennis scores
49 Philippine Island tree
50 Arabian kingdom
51 Part of church
52 Cheerfulness
54 Bark out
57 For



YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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Listen! with Slocum

One of radio's brightest and most successful experiments will be concluded this week, and the guinea pig will receive his just reward beginning next Monday.

The experiment was conducted by a group of gentlemen deeply interested in the sale of soups and the very good tenor, Lanny Ross, was the guinea pig. The soup peddlers slid Lanny and his gorgeous voice right smack into the middle of that group of tear-stained dramatic shows that dot any radio station's schedule in the morning and afternoon. It was unprecedented.

It was a noble experiment and one watched closely by the trade. It was highly successful, so successful in fact, that Lanny concludes his afternoon stints tomorrow, and beginning Monday he will be heard over WJSV at 9:15 p. m. Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Losing the fine Ross tenor in the middle of the dramatics belt will be a severe loss to lot of housewives, but they can hear him in the cool of the evening and be sure that very soon somebody else will be singing or playing during those long morning and afternoon periods heretofore devoted to man's inhumanity to man.

Ross, incidentally, will follow Amos 'n' Andy and as a tribute to his new running mates he will sing "The Perfect Song" tomorrow at 2 p. m. when he winds up the afternoon series. "The Perfect Song" is the Amos 'n' Andy theme song, as you know, and a lovely piece of music it is, too.

These Women! By d'Alessio

THE TWIMBLY TWINS

"The cad! He asked me twice to marry him, and I was going to accept him the next time."

Private Lives By Edwin Cox

FIRST LADY OF FRANCE, MME. LEBRUN, IS SO MODEST SHE KEEPS NO SECRETARY. SHE EVEN ANSWERS THE PHONE HERSELF, IN HER WING OF THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE.
WHY, PROFESSOR!
THOSE RIP-ROARING DETECTIVE YARNS "CROOKED SHADOWS" AND "JUDAS INCORPORATED" ARE REALLY AUTHORED BY DR. RUDOLF KAGEY, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF PHILOSOPHY AT N.Y.U.
3-28
RAINWALKER
REPRESENTATIVE JOE MARTIN, REPUBLICAN MINORITY LEADER, WATCHES THE ADVANCE WEATHER REPORTS FOR RAINY DAYS. HE HAS A PASSION FOR TAKING LONG COUNTRY WALKS —WHEN IT'S WET.

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

Today's Hand

North-South Vulnerable

NORTH DEALER

North: ♠ A Q 4 2 ♡ Q J 10 6 ◇ K Q 7 ♣ K 7

West: ♠ K 9 7 ♡ 7 3 2 ◇ 10 9 4 ♣ J 6 4 3

East: ♠ J 10 8 6 5 ♡ K 5 ◇ 3 ♣ A Q 10 8 2

South: ♠ 3 ♡ A 9 8 4 ◇ A J 8 6 5 2 ♣ 9 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	2 ◇	Pass
2 NT.	Pass	3 NT.	Pass
Pass	Dbl.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: Q ♣

Today's hand illustrates an expensive double; only this one was made by a champion who should know better. North and South scores three overtricks—and could have made another, winning 1,300 points, almost as much as if they had bid the slam.

Had East kept silent, he would have made a good score rather than a poor one. The hand was played in a major championship.

The queen of clubs was led, declarer winning in his own hand with the king. He immediately tried the heart finesse, caught the king, and ran four hearts and six diamonds, ending in the dummy. East was stripped down to the ace of clubs and the ace of spades. West was holding the king and one spade. Declarer led a spade from dummy, West played small; and North, believing East must have the king for the double, played the ace, expecting to drop it. This gave the last trick to West with the spade king, who remarked, "That must have been a wonderful double of yours, partner, when I take the one and only trick we win on the hand."

Ship Movements

At New York
Arrived Yesterday
Veendam, for Rotterdam.
Zaandam, for Rotterdam.
Arrives Today
Conte di Savoia, from Naples.
Arrive Tomorrow
No arrivals scheduled.
Sailing Today
No sailings scheduled.
Sailing Tomorrow
No sailings scheduled.

Today's Radio Highlights

Achsah Dorsey, one of the season's most charming debutantes, meets Elinor Lee for a chat on debutante activities in Washington—WJSV, 4 p. m.

Georgetown University reviews American Diplomacy during the Civil War period, a dramatization originally scheduled for last week. This local program is broadcast over the coast-to-coast Mutual network—WOL, 8 p. m.

Martha Raye plays Cleopatra to Rudy Vallee's Marc Antony, in a thrilling saga of life among the Egyptian ruins—WRC, 9:30 p. m.

The youthful and promising American composer, Morton Gould, directs the University of Michigan band concert, highlighting his own new "Cowboy Rhapsody for Band"—WOL, 9:30 p. m.

A smattering of ignorance? Oscar Levant joins Bing Crosby and Bob Burns for a rapid fire test of who-knows-how-much on the Music Hall—WRC, 10 p. m.

District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey makes an important Presidential effort in Chicago—WJSV, 10:15 p. m.

A new time for Double or Nothing: Walter Compton conducts his likeable novelty quiz on the stage of the Capitol. That Col. Grouch, who pays out all the silver dollars, is none other than Angie Ratto, manager of the neighboring Palace—WOL, 10 p. m.

Thursday, March 28 — Washington — Eastern Standard Time

	WMAL 476M-630KC	WRC 316M-950KC	WOL 229M-1,230KC	WJSV 206M-1,460KC	
6:00		Gordon Hitt'mark			6:00
6:15		" "		Arthur Godfrey	6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude	" "	Art Brown	" "	6:30
6:45	" "	" "	" "	" "	6:45
7:00	" "	Weather; Gordon	" "	" "	7:00
7:15	" News	Hitt'mark	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	STATION PDS	" "	Walter Compton	News; Godfrey	7:30
7:45	PRESENTS	" "	Art Brown	Arthur Godfrey	7:45
8:00	European News	News; Hitt'mark	" "	Today in Europe	8:00
8:15	PDS Presents	Gordon Hitt'mark	" "	Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	Walter Compton	Magic Carpet	8:30
8:45	Home Folks	" "	Art Brown	Store News	8:45
9:00	News; The	News; M. Mason	" "	Wom. Courage	9:00
9:15	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason	Mrs. Northcross	Julliard Chorus	9:15
9:30	" "	" "	Morning Varieties	To Be Ann.	9:30
9:45	" "	Botany Beauty	Walter Compton	Bach. Children	9:45
10:00	Garden Talk	Man I Married	Hits and Bits	Kitty Kelly	10:00
10:15	Day Is Ours	Life Beautiful	Traffic Court	Myrt & Marge	10:15
10:30	Mary Marlin	Ellen Randolph	Keep Fit	Hilltop House	10:30
10:45	Novelettes	Woman in White	Choir Loft	Stepmother	10:45
11:00	European News	David Harum	Don Dewhirst	Mary L. Taylor	11:00
11:15	Dr. Malone	Road of Life	Morning Concert	Life Begins	11:15
11:30	Rosa Lee	Against the Storm	Buckeye Four	Big Sister	11:30
11:45	Anthony's Aff.	Guiding Light	" "	Aunt Jenny	11:45
		AFTERNOON PROGRAMS			
12:00	Eugene Conley	News; Some	Luncheon Music	Kate Smith	12:00
12:15	Southernaires	Like It Old	Walter Compton	Girl Marries	12:15
12:30	National Farm	Devotions	Navy Band	Helen Trent	12:30
12:45	And Home	Chas. Magnan	The Carters	Our Gal Sunday	12:45
1:00	Hour	Bernies' Orch.	Church of the Air	Goldbergs	1:00
1:15	Bookends	NBC Program	Happy Gang	Reporter	1:15
1:30	News; The	Ear Teasers	Tony Wakeman	Right to Happ.	1:30
1:45	Clipper Ship	" "	" "	Road of Life	1:45
2:00	How Do	Light of World	" "	Lanny Ross	2:00
2:15	You Know	Grimm's Daugh'r	" "	Joyce Jordan	2:15
2:30	Marine Band	Valiant Lady	" "	Your Family	2:30
2:45	" "	Church Hymns	" "	My Son and I	2:45
3:00	Divorce Orphans	Mary Marlin	Walter Compton	Society Girl	3:00
3:15	Amanda Story	Ma Perkins	Tony Wakeman	Golden Gate 4	3:15
3:30	John's Oth. Wife	Pepper Young	" "	News; Dance	3:30
3:45	Just Plain Bill	Vic and Sade	" "	Women in News	3:45
4:00	Club Matinee	Backstage Wife	" "	Elinor Lee	4:00
4:15	" "	Stella Dallas	" "	" "	4:15
4:30	" "	Lorenzo Jones	" "	Alice Blair	4:30
4:45	News	Widow Brown	" "	Take Up Time	4:45
5:00	It's 5 O'Clock	Girl Alone	Meet Miss Julia	By Kath. Norris	5:00
5:15	Circus Jerry	Midstream	Jimmy Allen	Tonic Tunes	5:15
5:30	Bud Barton	Jack Armstrong	Johnson Family	In Hollywood	5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	The O'Neills	Orphan Annie	Baines	5:45
		EVENING PROGRAMS			
6:00	Sports Review	News; Streaml'n'r	Sports Resume	News; E. C. Hill	6:00
6:15	News; Parade	Streamliner	Fio Rito Orch.	Arch McDonald	6:15
6:30	Day's Hit	Bankhage	Walter Compton	Gospel Singer	6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Streamliner	Syncopations	World Today	6:45
7:00	Easy Aces	Fred Waring	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Amos 'n' Andy	7:00
7:15	Mr. Keen	I Love a Mystery	Young at Piano	Himber's Orch.	7:15
7:30	Quiz of	Dreams Come	Jungle Jim	Vox Pop	7:30
7:45	Two Cities	True	Piano Capers	" "	7:45
8:00	Musical	George Jessel's	American	Ask-It	8:00
8:15	Americana	Variety Show	Diplomacy	Basket	8:15
8:30	Record	Those We	Leonard Keller's	Strange as	8:30
8:45	Review	Love	Orchestra	It Seems; News	8:45
9:00	European News	Good News	News	Major Bowes'	9:00
9:15	Glen Carow	" "	Glen Gray	Amateurs	9:15
9:30	Town Meeting	Rudy Vallee	Michigan U.	" " "	9:30
9:45	of	Program	Band	" " "	9:45
10:00	the	Bing Crosby	Double or	Glenn Miller	10:00
10:15	Air	" "	Nothing	Thomas E.	10:15
10:30	Florence Wyman	" "	News	Dewey	10:30
10:45	Conrad Thibault	" "	Weber's Revue	News; Music	10:45
11:00	News; Music	News; Sports	" "	Paul Sullivan	11:00
11:15	Music	Night Club	Jurgen's Orch.	Master Works	11:15
11:30	You	Gordon Orch.	Gagen's Orch.	on the Air	11:30
11:45	Desire	Savitt Orch.	Sterney's Orch.	Crosby's Orch.	11:45
12:00	Sign Off	Night Watchman	Frankie Masters'	Sammy Kaye's	12:00
12:15		Until 1 a. m.	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:15

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Another Nero Wolfe Story

BY REX STOUT

OVER MY DEAD BODY

After Archie Goodwin escorted Neya Tormic to Miltan's fencing studio to find Carla Lovchen and return to her the paper which Ney wanted, he went on to the girls' apartment because Carla was not at the studio. Nero Wolfe had insisted that the document be delivered only to Carla, for she had hidden it in one of Wolfe's books when she came to beg his help for Neya. Neya, accused of stealing diamonds and then cleared, became Wolfe's client in the murder case of Percy Ludlow, British secret agent, killed with a col de mort on a fencing epee at the studio. Mme. Zorka claimed she had seen Neya put the col de mort in Archie's overcoat, then Zorka disappeared. And Archie and Neya, instead of finding Carla in the apartment, found the body of Rudolph Faber, German secret agent, who had been present when Ludlow was murdered. Faber had shown interest in Neya document in which Prince Donevitch gave to his wife certain powers to act in his absence. Archie sent Neya outside to get Fred Durkin, who he knew had been following her for Wolfe.

Chapter 23

"OKAY. Step on it. You're a good brave girl."

She went. In a few seconds, from my post at the window, I saw her descend the stoop, trot to the taxi, open the door and speak to its inhabitant, and come back with Fred. Not sure of what a Montenegrin female might do under stress, I stayed at the window until they both entered the room. Fred stopped short at sight of the casualty on the floor.

"I'll be darned," he said, and looked at me.

"No," I said, "not guilty this time. Nobody will ever sock him again." I pulled the paper from my pocket. "Here's something important. I discovered this corpse and I can't leave it, and after certain events that happened yesterday they're apt to frisk me to the skin when they come. Take this—hey, you little devil!"

Neya had lunged like a champion with an epee, grabbed the paper from my fingers and sprung back. She stood there clutching it.

"Jesus," I said, "you're like a streak of lightning! But you're dumb. You've got to stay here too and I'll see that you do. When the cops come they'll go through this place, including us, extra special for today considering yesterday. They would love to have that paper and they'll have it. Hand it to Fred. Well?

Her breast heaved.

"Don't be dumb, damn it! The only chance of getting it out of here is for him to take it! Hand it over!"

Fred stuck out a hand. "Gimme, lady."

"What will he do with it?"

"Take care of it." She didn't move. I stepped over and yanked it out of her fingers and passed it to Fred. "Go down and dismiss your taxi," I told him, "and take the roadster and go to the office. If Wolfe's alone, give him that paper. If he isn't, go to the kitchen and have Fritz bring Wolfe to the kitchen and give him the paper there."

"Do I tell him——"

"I'll phone him. If and when you're questioned, tell them just what happened, leaving out the paper. I'm sending you to the office because I know I'll be held up here God knows how long, and with me absent Wolfe will need you. Okay?"

"Okay." He turned to go.

"Hold it. Stay there by the door a minute." I began darting around. I took a look behind a sofa and even under it, and opened a closet door for a glance inside, and had my hand on the knob of another door leading to the rear of the flat when Fred growled:

"Hey, what about prints?"

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"TO HELL with prints. I've got a right to look for a murderer, haven't I?" I went on through, and kept moving, bothering only with places big enough to hide a man or woman. It didn't take long, since there was only a bath, a kitchenette, and two small bedrooms. I trotted back to the front and told Fred, "All right, one, two three go," and he beat it.

I looked at Neya. "You're starting to tremble. You'd better sit down."

She shook her head. "I'm all right. But— . . . I . . . Carla. Where is she?"

"Search me." I had gone around the table to where the phone was and lifted it from its cradle.

"But wait—please! Why can't we . . . just leave? Just go and find her?"

"Sure, Splendid." I started dialing. "You certainly get charming ideas. Like the one yesterday, stuffing that junk in my pocket. Just lock up and go, huh? With those babies at Miltan's knowing we started for here and Fred's taxi driver——"

The phone told me, "This is Nero Wolfe."

I kept my voice down. "Hullo, boss. Let's be discreet."

"Oh, yes."

"Cramer there?"

"Yes."

"Well, leave it open so that if you want to you can say it was the Salvation Army. We went to Miltan's and Carla had been there but left for home. We came on here, 404 East Thirty-eighth. Got the address?"

"Yes."

"Old house, walk up, two flights. Neya let us in with her key. Rudolph Faber was lying on the floor dead. Hole through his coat, left breast. Shirt soaked with blood inside. No weapon. Carla not around on quick inspection. I'm phoning from right here, this room, and Neya is standing here——"

"One moment. I was empowered without reservation——"

"That's all right. Fred was tailing us and Neya went down for him and I gave it to him and he's on his way with it now. He can be traced here easy and so can we. The place has been frisked by someone in a hurry—drawers standing open, things scattered on the floor and so on. The number of this phone is Hammond 3-4505. Do you want me to keep on talking?"

"No."

"Do you want to ring off and let your genius work and I'll call again in three minutes?"

No. You had better stay there, both of you. Mr. Cramer is here and I'll tell him about it. Hold the wire."

I heard him telling Cramer, and I heard noises which were presumably the inspector turning somersaults. Then a voice in my ear not Wolfe's.

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"GOODWIN!" Cramer yapped.

"Yes, sir, speaking."

"You stay there, hear me?"

"Yes, sir."

That was all, except the click. I hung up and walked to Neya, took her elbow and steered her to a chair, and put her in it.

"They'll be here in five minutes. Or less. This time Inspector Cramer will get here first. And this time you're connected up. Here in your own front room. What are you going to tell him?"

Her eyes met mine. They didn't waver, but she was having trouble with her chin. She shook her head. "What can I tell him?"

"I don't know. What can you?"

"Nothing."

"Not enough, under the circumstances. Did your friend Carla do it?"

"I don't know."

"Did you?"

"You know I didn't!"

"I do not. Is there a lot of stuff around here about Bosnian forests and Barrett & De Russy and secret codes——"

"No, nothing. I am very careful."

"Yeah, this looks like it. All I'm saying, if you try telling Cramer that you know nothing about Faber and you can't imagine why in the world he came here to get killed, you'll find yourself out on a limb. If you tell the truth, that won't be it, and if you decide on lies, you'll have to do a lot better than that. One little fact is that whoever killed Faber deprived you of your alibi for the murder of Ludlow. I'm not trying to scare you, I'm only trying to make you grab hold——"

The phone rang and I went and got it.

"This is Hammond 3-45——"

"Archie, Mr. Cramer will be there shortly."

"Goody!"

"How is Miss Tormic?"

"She's all right. She says her mind's a blank."

"Shock?"

"No, just ignorance."

"When she is questioned about anything except her movements since 10 o'clock this morning—which is the time Mr. Faber left this house alive—she will decline to reply except in the presence of her attorney. That is amply justified in the circumstances."

"I'll tell her that."

"Do so. I'll arrange for Mr. Parker to represent her. What does she say about Miss Lovchen?"

"More ignorance. The first thing she did when she entered the room and looked at the floor was let out a yell for Carla."

"I see. That's too bad. By the way, where did you put those germination records on the oncidium hybrids? I want to check them over."

"Christalmighty," I said bitterly. "Here's your daughter sizzling on a spot, and here am I with blood on my fingers off of Faber's shirt, and you prate—why don't you try doing a little work for a change——"

"I can't work with nothing to work on. Get away as soon as you can. Where did you put those records?"

I told him. He thanked me and rang off. I looked at Neya, sitting there with her jaw clamped and her fingers twisted, and observed grimly, "You certainly picked a lulu for an adopted daddy. Do you know what he's doing? Checking up on orchid seeds he planted a year ago! Incidentally, he says you are to answer any questions the cops ask about your movements since 10 o'clock this morning. All other questions, refuse to answer until you see a lawyer. He's getting one."

"A lawyer for me?"

"Yes."

A police siren sounded through the window I had left open.

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AT FIVE minutes past 2 Wolfe sipped the last drop of his luncheon coffee, put down his cup and made two distinct and separate oral noises. The first was meant to express his pleasure and satisfaction in the immediate past, the hour spent at table; the second was a grunt of resigned dismay at the prospect of the immediate future, which was embodied in the bulky figure of Inspector Cramer, planted in a chair in the office. He had arrived on the stroke of 2 and was waiting.

Wolfe and I went in and sat down. The end of the unlighted cigar in Cramer's mouth described a figure 8.

"I hate to hurry your meal," he said sarcastically.

Wolfe eructed.

The inspector turned the sarcasm on me. "Have you had any new ideas about the purpose of your going there with Miss Tormic?"

I shook my head. "No, sir. As I told you, we merely went there to get Miss Lovchen."

"And what were you going to do with her?"

"We were going to bring her to see Mr. Wolfe. To go over things."

"Had she suddenly developed paralysis of the legs?"

"Please, Mr. Cramer," Wolfe murmured. "That's childish and you know it is. Flopping your arms around is no way to discuss anything. If Archie and Miss Tormic were engaged on a mysterious errand, you don't suppose you're going to squeeze it out of him, do you?"

With his fingers entwined, Cramer rubbed his thumb tips together, back and forth, with the cigar in his mouth aimed at the ceiling.

Finally he said, "I've been sitting here thinking."

Wolfe nodded sympathetically. "It's a good room to think in. The faint sounds from the street are just right."

Silence.

Cramer said, "I'm not a fool."

Wolfe nodded again. "We all feel like that occasionally. The poison of conceit. It's all right if you keep an antidote handy."

"Hell, I'm not conceited." The inspector removed the cigar. "What I chiefly meant about not being a fool, I meant that I'm sitting here because I doubt very much if I'll get a start on this case anywhere except right here in this room."

"Well, as I say, it's a good room to think in."

"Yeah. I'm not talking about thinking. I'm talking about you. This case is a hush-hush and I don't know why, and as sure as God made little apples you do know why. I don't expect you to blurt it out, but you've given me a hint before and you might do it again. I wouldn't be surprised if you know right now who killed Ludlow and who killed Faber."

"Well, you know something about it that I don't know. Take your client, for instance. Why is that girl your client? Can she pay the kind of fee you charge? She cannot. Then who's going to pay you? You know that, don't you? You're damn right you do. You go in for fancy tricks only when someone makes it well worth your while. For example, that Durkin that works for you that was there in the taxi. And Goodwin admits he called him up to that room and then sent him away in his car. Your car. I'm betting the Lovchen girl went with him."

"Nonsense. Fred came directly here alone."

"You say."

"Well, ask Fritz, who opened the door——"

"Nuts. What good does it do to ask questions of anybody who works for you? But we'll find Lovchen, and we'll find Zorka, too, don't think we won't."

"You've found no trace of them?"

"Not yet. We will. We had a tail on Lovchen, but he hasn't reported and we don't know where he is. Another thing, you had Zorka right here in this house, on the grill——"

"She was drunk."

"She wasn't too drunk to climb down a fire escape. According to you." Cramer brandished the cigar at him. "Do you realize that this time I could actually slap a charge of obstructing justice on you?"

"I doubt it. Why don't you try?"

"For a damn good reason. Because the commissioner and the district attorney are both on the soft pedal."

(To Be Continued.)

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"We don't ask Mrs. Snodgrass to our movies any more, since she appointed herself neighborhood censor!"

HOLLYWOOD HUSBAND (Watch for "King of the Royal Mounted"—New Post Comic) By JEFFERSON MACHAMER

LAURIE ANN'S BEEN LOST FOR TWO HOURS?! -I'LL BE RIGHT HOME, OTHO!
OH-MR. KIZZAK! -SOMETHING AWFUL'S HAPPENED-MY HUSBAND JUS' PHONED--
-LAURIE ANN-MY PUNKIN BABY'S LOST! -BAMBOO AND OTHO HAVE BEEN HUNTING HER FOR HOURS -I'M GOING HOME!
I'LL CALL A STUDIO CAR FOR YOU -SO JUS' AS YOU ARE! -AND I'LL SEND ANOTHER STUDIO CAR WITH A COUPLA PUBLICITY MEN AN' A CAMERA MAN AN' SOME STUDIO POLICE! -I'LL GO, TOO-AN' DIRECT EVERY THINK!
NO!

TERRY AND THE PIRATES ("King of the Royal Mounted" Joins Post Comics Sunday) BY MILTON CANIFF

HELLO, APRIL! HOW DID YOU--- HEY THERE, WHY SO PUCKERED UP? YOU LOOK LIKE TESS OF THE STORM COUNTRY ON A CLEAR DAY!
MISS RAVEN, I-I-JUS' WANTED T' TELL YOU--- OH, GLORY, I DON'T KNOW HOW T' SAY IT...
NO ONE BUT A MAN COULD CLOUD UP THOSE EYES! -AND THAT RYAN GENT IS THE ONLY MALE EXCEPT GRANDPA BLAZE WITHIN MILES! WHAT'S THE CAD DONE?
OH, MISS RAVEN-HE'S NOT A CAD-HE'S WONDERFUL! BUT IT IS ABOUT HIM!
WELL, BREAK IT DOWN INTO WORDS! MY EAR'S A BIT BENT-BUT I KEEP A BURNING LIGHT IN MY EYE FOR A FELLOW DAMSEL IN DISTRESS! WHEEL OUT THE WOE! IF HE'S MADE YOU SAD, I'LL PUT HIM ON BREAD AND WATER!
YOU'RE SO SWEET TO ME -AN' I JUS' WANT YOU T' KNOW THAT I REALIZE I'M NOT GROWN UP ENOUGH T' INTEREST HIM-BUT IF HIS LOYALTY TO OUR LONG FRIENDSHIP IS CAUSIN' YOU TWO T' HAVE LOVERS' QUARRELS, I DON'T WANT YOU T' FEEL I HOLD ANY CLAIM ON HIM!

BIG CHIEF WAHOO (Like Adventure? Don't Miss New Post Comic Starting Sunday) BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON

SO I WAS SHOOTING A PICTURE OF A SACRED TRIBAL DANCE, WAS I? WELL, I GUESS I OWE YOU MY LIFE, MR.--?
CHIEF WAHOO-AN' HERE PRINCESS MINNIE-HA-CHA!
HMM! SOME CLASSY SQUAW! HEAP MUCH PLEASED TO MEETUM, BABE!
I BEG YOUR PARDON, MR. ROPER!
JUST BECAUSE I HAPPEN TO BE WEARING THE SIMPLE GARB OF MY PEOPLE, PLEASE DON'T GET THE IMPRESSION YOU CAN BE FORWARD WITH ME!
I--I'M SORRY! GOSH! I DIDN'T THINK-I-I APOLOGIZE ALL OVER THE MAP!
YOUR APOLOGY IS ACCEPTED! GOOD DAY, SIR!
SO LONG--- BABE!

MICKEY FINN ("King of the Royal Mounties"—New Daily and Sunday Post Comic) BY LANK LEONARD

UNCLE PHIL! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
YOU'LL FIND OUT! C'MON!
BULLETIN BOARD
YOU MEAN ONE LIKE THAT?
THAT'S JUST WHAT I WANT! WRAP IT UP!!
Costumes for all occasions
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO WITH THAT?
I'M GONNA PUT IT ON NUTSEY-ALONG WITH CYCLONE'S HAT!
NOW! IS HE CYCLONE'S SON OR AIN'T HE?

DIXIE DUGAN (A New Post Comic "King of the Royal Mounted" Starts Sunday) BY J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIEBEL

YOU LIKE LITTLE GRACIE, DON'T YOU?
HUH??? LIKE HER???
AW--CHEE-WILLIKINS, MISS! SHE-SHE'S GOT ME DOWN!
I CAN'T EAT--ER-SLEEP--ER DO MY HOMEWORK--ER NUTHIN' FER THINKIN' OF HER--
--YET--SHE TREATS ME LIKE UH DOG! I'M JES UNDER HER SPELL--I GUESS

DONALD DUCK (Like Adventure? Don't Miss New Post Comic Starting Sunday) BY WALT DISNEY

WELL, WHAT'S THIS---A POTATO SACK RACE?
YEP! WE WERE
WAITIN' FOR YOU TO
RACE US, UNCA DONALD!
THAT'LL BE YOUR SACK, UNCA DONALD--- IT'S THE BIGGEST!

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY ("King of the Royal Mounted" Joins Post Comics Sunday) BY FRANK MARTINEK

WINSLOW, I'M AFRAID YOU'RE ON THE WRONG TRACK WITH THIS DUAL-PERSONALITY IDEA. THAT GIRL SEEMS PERFECTLY NORMAL.
BUCK UP AND THINK CLEARLY. YOU'VE PERFORMED A PAINFUL DUTY-YOU'VE BLASTED THE FUTURE OF A YOUNG, BEAUTIFUL CREATURE-AND NOW YOUR NATURAL PITY LEADS YOU TO-
NO! NO! DOCTOR-I ONCE ACTUALLY SAW THE CHANGE TAKE PLACE. SHE BECAME CRAZED-A-A-FIEND!
JUST YOUR IMAGINATION, NO-TAKE MY ADVICE, OLD MAN-STEP ASIDE NOW, DON'T TRY TO INTERFERE WITH JUSTICE.
JUSTICE! SURE, THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT I WANT-JUSTICE FOR HER! BUT I BELIEVE IT'S YET TO BE FOUND! AND THERE'S NO TIME TO WAIT!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY (Watch for "King of the Royal Mounted"—New Post Comic) By Dale Allen

THERE IT IS, JOHN! A RECORD OF ALL THE "PROTECTION" LUPEEN PAID BONETTI ON THIS CLUB--UP TO THE DAY HE QUIT PAYING--AND QUIT LIVING!
PERFECT! THIS BOOK WILL SEND BONETTI TO THE CHAIR--AND SMASH RACKETEERING IN THIS CITY!
BOSS! HELLO! GET THIS! BLACKSTON HAS FOUND SAM'S PAY-OFF RECORD! THE GIRL THAT USED TO WORK HERE HAS SPILT EVERYTHING!
WELL! WE'VE DONE A BIG NIGHT'S WORK, JOHN!
THE BIGGEST OF MY WHOLE CAREER! I'LL GET THE INDICTMENTS TOMORROW--AND GET BONETTI AND HIS BOYS SAFE IN CELLS!
SORRY I CAN'T TAKE YOU HOME, LEONA, BUT YOU MUSTN'T BE SEEN WITH ME!
I'LL BE ALL RIGHT, JOHN!

Agents Trail User of Name Of President

Seizure of Communist By Secret Service Expected Any Moment

By International News Service

Secret Service agents know the identify of the Communist who used the name "Franklin D. Roosevelt" on his membership card, and his seizure is expected hourly, it was said here last night.

The Federal agents, called into the investigation by White House Secretary Stephen Early, were in Pittsburgh with Dies Committee investigators yesterday.

Hunted for several hours after he failed to appear before the Dies Committee in response to a subpena at 10 a. m., George Powers, Pittsburgh Communist Party leader, last night notified the committee he would appear today.

Powers telephoned Robert Stripling, committee secretary, that he had become ill after arriving by train from Pittsburgh, but was "in Washington." He refused to say where he was, and hung up before the call could be traced.

A widespread hunt had been conducted throughout the day for Powers and Martin Young, Allegheny County, Pa., Communist Party secretary, who evaded subpena servers at Pittsburgh.

Both were sought by the committee in its efforts to identify the Communist Party member who used the President's name on his party membership card.

Meanwhile, committee investigators served a subpena in New York on Clarence Hathaway, editor of the Daily Worker, Communist newspaper. Committee Chairman Dies (Democrat), of Texas, announcing the subpenaing of Hathaway, said:

"We have a lot of files and communications between Hathaway and Moscow, and we plan to ask him about that. We expect to hear him early tomorrow or Friday."

While the hunt for Powers and Young was going on, several alleged American and Mexican Communists in El Paso, Tex., were being served with subpenas to testify before the committee on reputed communistic activities between party workers in the United States and Mexico. They are expected to appear here early next week.

Jury Charges Wire-Tapping In Oil Strike

By the Associated Press

Tulsa, March 27.—The county attorney, a former police commissioner and an undisclosed number of others were indicated by a Federal grand jury today on charges of "wire tapping" in connection with a recent oil workers' strike.

County Attorney Dixie Gilmer said: "I have been indicted for doing my duty." Floyd Rheam, the former police commissioner, declined comment.

Whit Y. Mauzy, United States district attorney, said the indictment charged that Gilmer, Rheam, William Kelly, a policeman, and others did "conspire . . . with each other and with Garn Gordon and other . . . to intercept interstate and intrastate communications, without being authorized by the senders thereof, transmitted through and over telephone, and divulge and publish the existence, contents . . . of such intercepted communications."

Girl Not Indicted

Mauzy said Miss Gordon, a stenographer, while named as a "co-conspirator," was not a defendant.

The grand jury returned the indictment after investigating activities growing out of the recently settled 15-month oil workers' strike.

The indictment pertained, Mauzy said, to the "tapping" of conversations both to the union hall, in West Tulsa, and to a hotel suite, between February 31, 1939.

The charges carry a mixmum penalty of two years' imprisonment and $10,000 fine.

To Claim Immunity

Rheam previously had said he would claim immunity on grounds that his testimony at an NLRB hearing, disclosing the "wire tapping," was made on Federal Court order.

Judge Franklin E. Kennamer instructed the jury January 29 to investigate the "wire tapping."

Station PDS Presents Pianist as Guest

The guest artist on the PDS program over station WMAL this morning is Miss Phyllis Rasche, 725 Connecticut avenue northwest. Miss Rasche studied music in Atlanta, Ga., for about 9 years. She appeared on the Capital Theater in Atlanta, and at a restaurant in Washington.

"Station PDS Presents," broadcast by Lee Everett from the Peoples Drug Stores Studio, Eleventh and G streets northwest is presented each weekday morning from 7:30 to 8:30 over Station WMAL by Peoples Drug Stores in cooperation with The Washington Post. Anyone over 18 years old may participate in the audition at 7:30 p. m. Tuesdays at the N. B. C. Studios. Performers are paid $5 for their appearance on this program.

BACKACHE, LEG PAINS MAY BE DANGER SIGN

Of Tired Kidneys

If backache and leg pains are making you miserable, don't just complain and do nothing about them. Nature may be warning you that your kidneys need attention.

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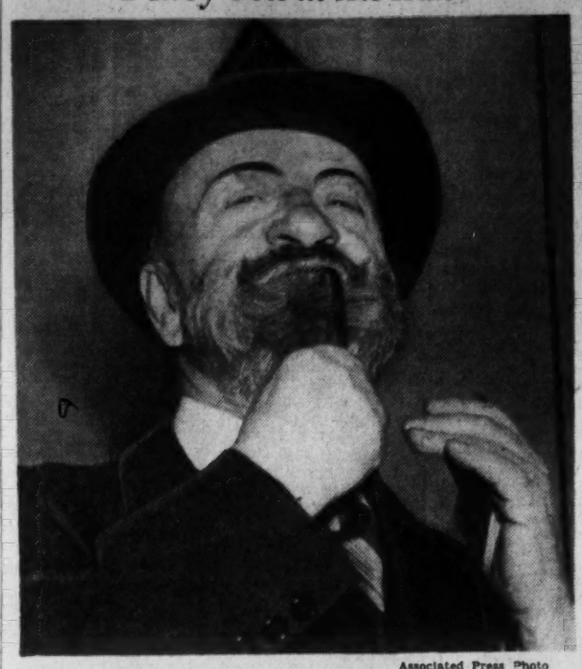
Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from the blood. Get Doan's Pills. ADV.

Dewey Gets in His Hair



Associated Press Photo

Representative Tinkham, of Massachusetts, who sports the only beard in Congress, assailed New York's District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey as "unfitted to be the Republican candidate for President." Tinkham said that Dewey had evidenced his utter lack of sympathy with traditional American foreign policies

Ickes Says Oil Opponents Fly 'Red Herring'

Charge Made in Texas In Backing Cole Bill; Politics Avoided

By the Associated Press

Kilgore, Tex., March 27.—Harold L. Ickes argued vigorously tonight in favor of a bitterly contested Federal oil conservation law but spoke not a word about national politics.

The tart-tongued Secretary of the Interior explained his case for Federal-stage regulation in an address before the Chamber of Commerce of this small city in east Texas where 10 years ago a wildcatter tapped the 5,000,000-barrel reservoir of the world's greatest oil field.

While Ickes' associates here have said any political talks he might have would be incidental, his trip to Texas was generally interpreted as an invasion of Vice President Garner's home State in the interest of a third term for President Roosevelt.

[Secretary Ickes is known to have had an appointment with Edward Clark, of Austin, a third-term leader in Texas, and it was expected he also would see former Govs. Dan Moody and James E. Ferguson, Mayor Tom Miller of Austin, and Mayor Maury Maverick of San Antonio, all third-termers.—Editor's note.]

"Damned Up and Down"

"I have urged the passage of State oil and gas conservation laws, but that is not enough," Ickes said. We must also have Federal law to coordinate the oil and gas conservation activities of the States.

"An attempt in that direction has been made in the Cole bill . . . now pending in Congress. Unfortunately this bill has been damned up and down . . . Its opponents have dragged out an old and smelly red herring. The Governor of Oklahome, for instance, told the American Petroleum Institute that the Cole bill was 'another step in the direction of collectivism' and that 'collectivism' is 'the bone and sinew of communism.'

"I hope the learned Governor held his nose while flailing oily collectivism with his putrid red herring. . . .

"Also Antisocial"

"Unlike several of the other large oil-producing States, Texas is fortunate in having an oil and gas conservation law. Illinois, for example, has no oil-conservation law and is permitting one of its most precious resources to be wasted.

"In other words, Illinois has not only been profligate, but also antisocial in adding burdens to other oil communities that are seeking orderly development.

"In answer to these inequities and iniquities, it seems to me, is the need for national standards of production."

Zoning Board Approves I St. Open Garage

Nine Other Appeals Granted, One Denied, Nine Held Over

Ten zoning appeals, including one for a six-story parking garage at 1533 I street northwest, were approved yesterday by the Board of Zoning Adjustment. One petition was denied and action was deferred on nine.

In approving the open garage, the board stipulated that Charles H. Tompkins, the builder, must erect a solid wall on the west side of the building facing Sixteenth street. Tompkins already has the board's permission to establish a bowling alley in the basement of the structure.

The board denied the appeal of Rose and Vernon Duckett to permit the erection of a three-story apartment house at 907-909 Euclid street northwest.

Petitions approved by the board follow:

Dr. Alma J. Spear, for two-story rear addition at 3225 Garfield street northwest.

Charles R. Bush, jr., for rear one-story open porch at 810 Dogwood street northwest.

Samuel M. and Corella M. Bageant, for two-story rear addition and one-story front porch at 5600 New Hampshire avenue.

Herman Byer, for a one-story front addition to dwelling at 3510 Patterson street northwest.

Charles D. Drayton, to change from a dry-cleaning agency to a grocery store at 401 East Capitol street. The board stipulated no receipts or delivery of goods on the Fourth street side.

Aloysius P. Burns, to change a grocery store to a retail store for High's, Inc., at 1,000 Fourth street northeast.

Margaret Moriarity, for structural alterations and a side porch enclosure at 4960 Brandywine street northwest.

Abraham Grob, for roof over a rear garage at 4960 Brandywine street northwest.

Harry Blake, for a two-story addition at 1720 Taylor street northwest.

Nine other cases heard yesterday were deferred.

Va. Game Board to Meet

Richmond, Va., March 27 (AP).—Chairman Carl Nolting announced today the State Game Commission would meet here Monday to consider matters relating to the fish laws.

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Boys Club To Open Drive For $86,000

600 Volunteers To Meet Tonight On Campaign Plans

Nearly 600 volunteer workers in the Metropolitan Police Boys Club drive for $86,000 will gather at 8 o'clock tonight at the Willard Hotel in a rally preliminary to the opening of campaign Saturday.

Speakers at the rally will include Morris Cafritz, president of the club; Mack L. Langford, campaign chairman; L. Gordon Leech, campaign administration head, and Maj. Ernest W. Brown, police superintendent.

During the drive, to continue through April 15, workers will canvass for contributions to the welfare organization that last year helped upward of 14,000 youngsters.

The boys' clubs last year operated five clubhouses here and a summer camp at Scotland, Md. With the number of members increasing at the rate of 2,000 a year, expansion of these facilities is necessary, club officials pointed out.

Vocational, athletic and medical supervision provided at the clubs for boys of substandard domestic surroundings. As a result of these activities, juvenile arrests for serious crimes dropped during the first five years of the club's organization from 356 in 1933 to only 53 in 1938, police officials say.

Wender Urged as Successor To Police Court Judge Curran

The name of Harry Wender, local attorney, was sent to President Roosevelt yesterday for consideration in his selection of a successor to Police Court Judge Edward M. Curran.

Wender, with the backing of several Washington labor, civic and safety groups, advocates a separate traffic court with full-time judge. Long an active leader in the local traffic safety movement, Wender is a member of the Commissioners' Traffic Advisory Council and past president of the Southwest Citizens Association.

Although not "actively seeking" the judgeship, Wender said yesterday the Police Court vacancy "gives Washington an excellent chance to modernize its system of handling traffic cases by filling the job with a jurist who would give his full time to safety matters."

Under the present system, the four Police Court judges rotate—a different one sitting in the traffic branch each month.

"This method," said Wender, "doesn't make for efficiency in handling traffic cases. The judges aren't on the traffic bench long enough to develop an active interest in the problem and are not familiar with current traffic events."

Numerous local organizations interested in highway safety have recently advocated a full-time traffic judge and Representative William Schulte (Democrat), of Indiana, has proposed legislation to establish a separate traffic court.

"If a traffic-minded judge was appointed to the Police Court vacancy," Wender said, "I am certain the other judges would be willing to permit him full-time on the traffic bench. I also am certain such a setup would greatly help Washington solve its traffic accident problem."

Wender is among a dozen or more candidates who have been suggested for the post. Others include Assistant United States Attorneys David A. Hart, Karl Kindleberger, George McNeil and Arthur Caldwell and Assistant Corporation Counsels Milton Korman, George Neilson, Matt Mahorner, James Lauderdale and John O'Dea.

Myron Ehrlich and Phil Austin are among other attorneys in private practice who have been mentioned and former People's Counsel William A. Roberts is reported "willing" to accept the job.

Judge Curran will be sworn in as new United States attorney at 3 p. m. Tuesday and at 9 a. m. the same day, United States Attorney David A. Pine will take the oath as associate justice of the United States Court for the District of Columbia.

Sun Spot Storm, Milder, Continues

New York, March 27 (AP).—A continuing cosmic spree of electronic emanations from sun spot explosions disrupted short-wave radio and telephonic service to Europe, South America and the Far East today, although disturbances were milder than those which blanked communications Sunday and Monday.

One peculiarity of today's storms, engineers said, was that Europe could hear signals from the United States but calls from Europe could not be heard here during the "blank-out" period.

Public Speech ConclaveOpens Here Today

Eastern Conference Draws Instructors, Officials, Journalists

Speech instructors, public officials, students of the drama and several noted journalists will gather today for opening sessions of the thirty-first annual Eastern Public Speaking Conference at the Mayflower Hotel.

Today's activities will be devoted to registration and preliminary committee meetings with regular business sessions beginning at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow in the grand ballroom.

At 7 o'clock tonight, the executive council of the conference will meet in the hotel's Pan American room. An hour later, the committee for study of speech education will gather in the Seventeenth street parlor and a meeting of the Potomac Speech Association will convene in the Chinese room.

At 9 p. m., a reception will be held in the Chinese room for all delegates attending the conference. The Potomac Association and the New York League for Speech Improvement are meeting concurrently.

Prof. W. Hayes Yeager, of George Washington University, president of the conference, will open the official business sessions tomorrow.

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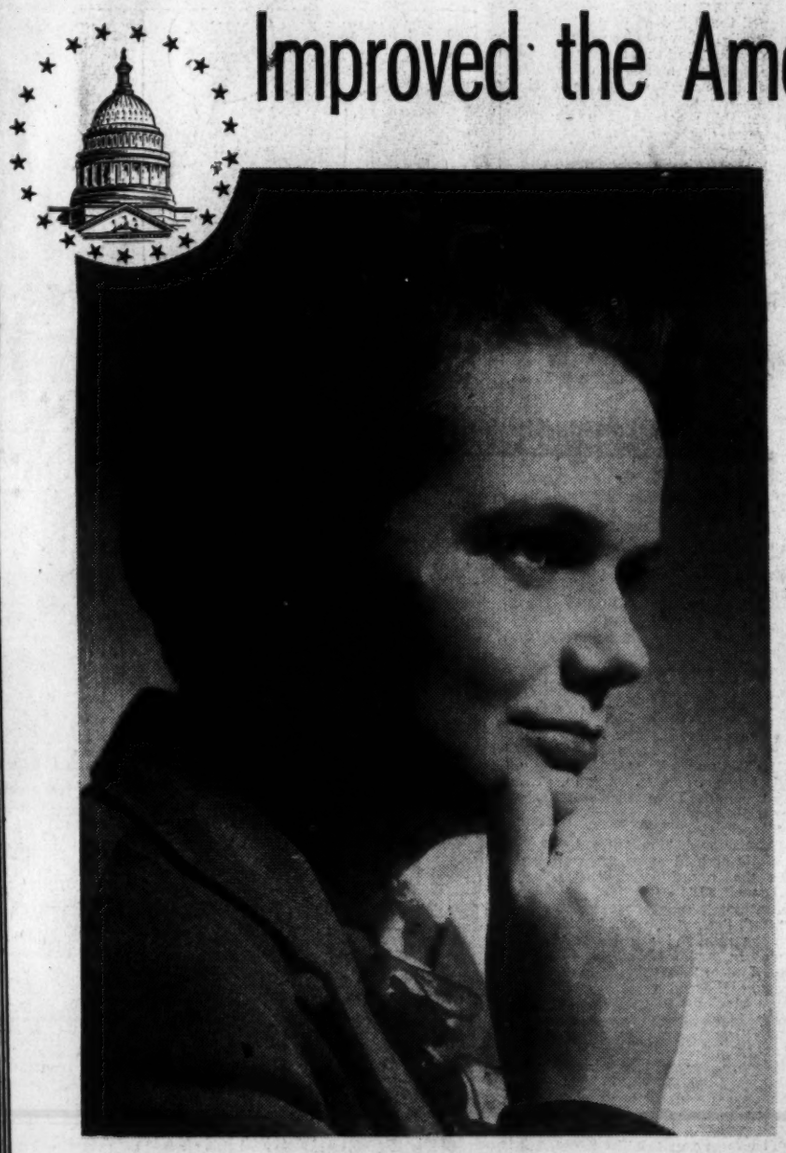

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